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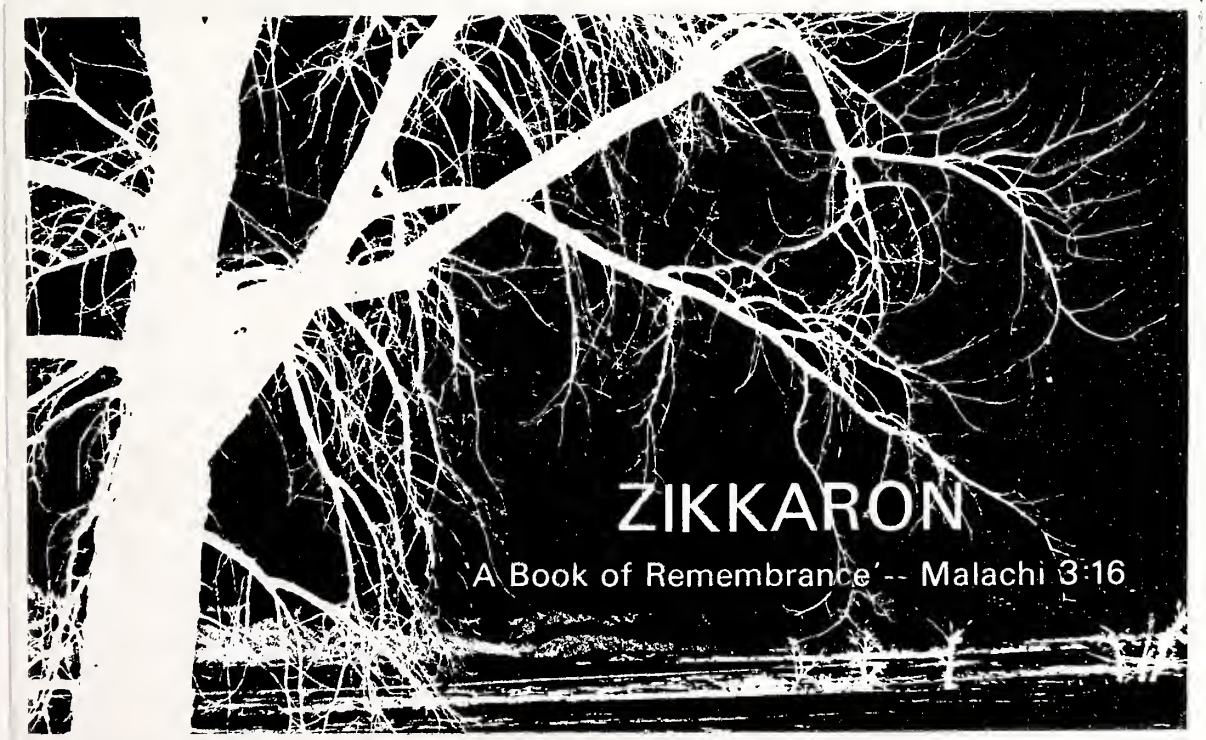


WESTERN BIBLE COLLEGE

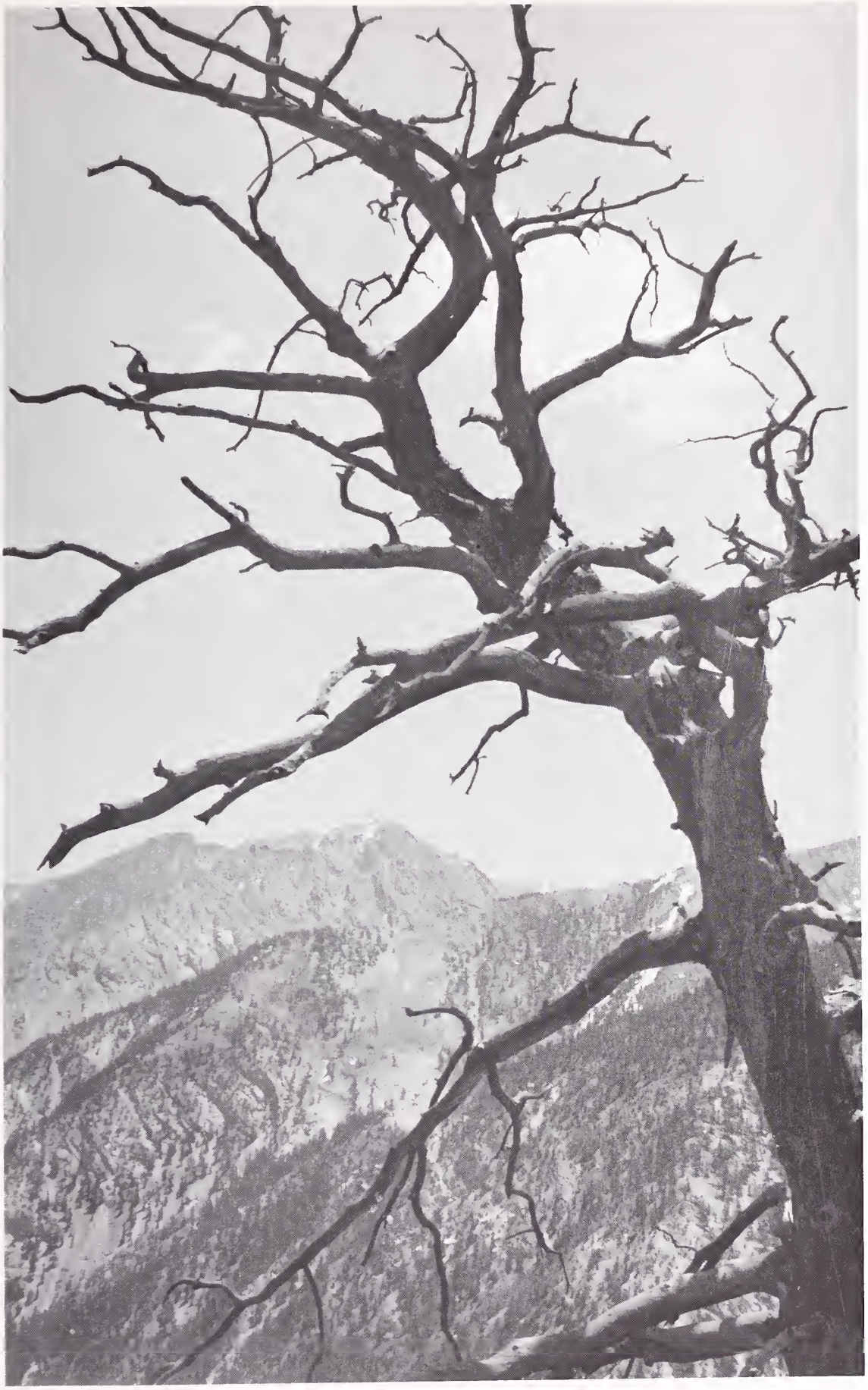
Morrison, Colorado

"Never before has the world clamored so loudly for answers and never before has it been so committed to the idea that no answers are available"

Ayn Rand

"Today even the survival of humanity is a utopian hope."

Norman O. Brown



And we know that the Son of God, has come, and has given us understanding, in order that we might know Him who is true, in His Son Jesus Christ. This is the true God and Eternal life.

I John 5:20

"Ordinary man is at the end of his tether. Only a small, highly adaptable minority of the species can possibly survive"

H.G. Wells

"The writer is convinced that there is no way out, or around, or through the impasse. It is the end."

H.G. Wells

"Only on a firm foundation of unyielding despair, can the souls habitation henceforth be safely built"

Bertrand Russell

This hope we have as an anchor of the soul, a hope both sure and steadfast.

Hebrews 6:19

For no man can lay a foundation other than the one which is laid, which is Jesus Christ.

1 Corinthians 3:11

"Man is absurd but he must grimly act as if he were not"

Jean Paul Sartre

"The basic fact about human experience is not that it is a tragedy, but that it is a bore. It is not that it is predominantly painful, but that it is lacking any sense."

H.L. Mencken

I came that they might have life, and might have it more abundantly.

John 10:10

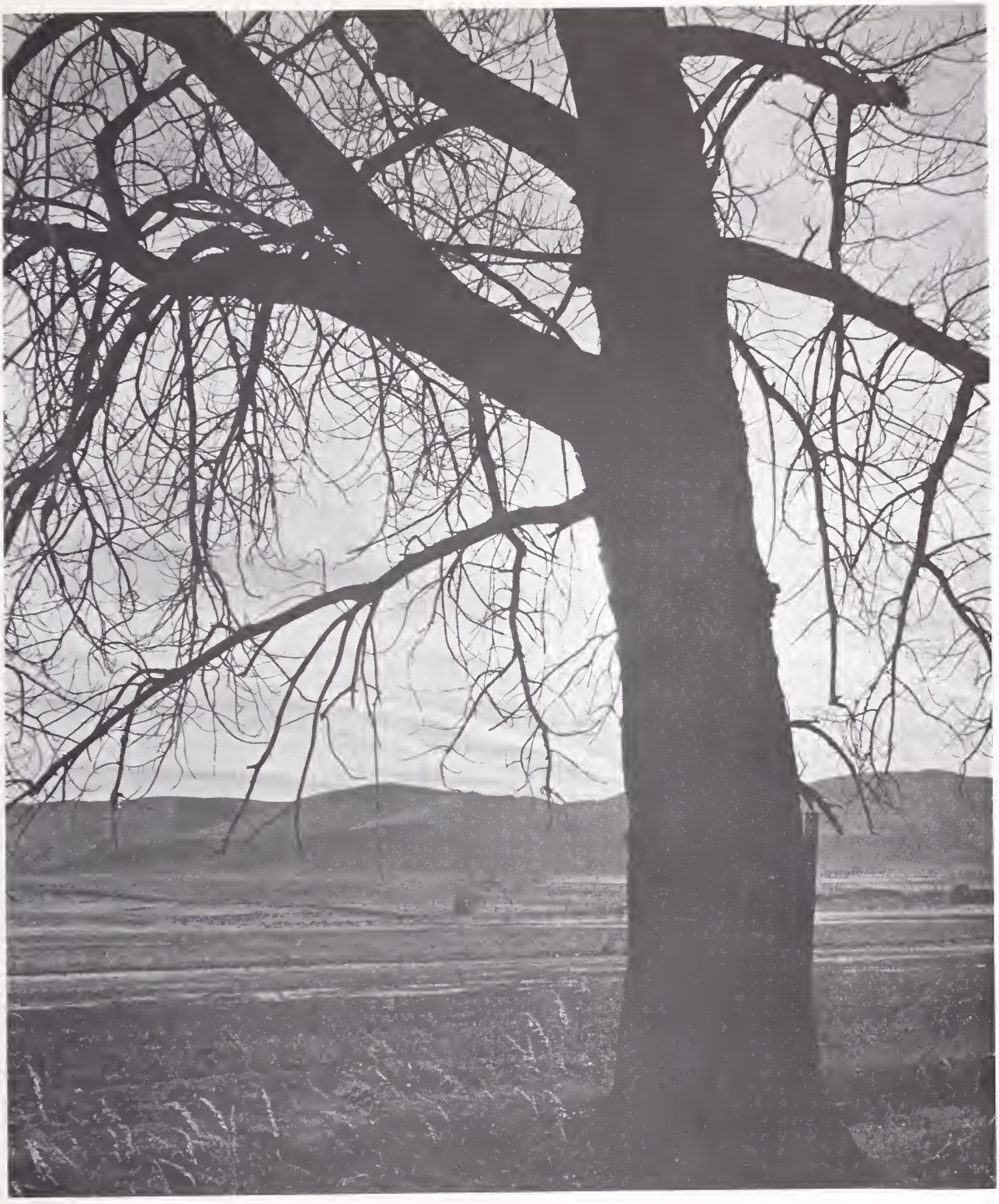
Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? ... For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Romans 8:35,38-39

"To anyone in the world who cares; Who am I? Why am I living? Life has become stupid and purposeless. Nothing makes sense anymore. The questions I had when I came to college are still unanswered and now I am convinced that there are no answers. There can only be pain and guilt and despair here in this world. My fear of death and the unknown is far less terrifying than the prospect of the unbearable frustration, futility and hopelessness of continued existence."

A college student's
suicide note.

"You are the orphans in
an age of no tomorrows"
Joan Baez



"Peace I leave with you; My peace I give to you; not as the world gives, do I give to you. Let not your heart be troubled, nor let it be fearful."

John 14:27

Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Romans 14:13

I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you.

John 14:18

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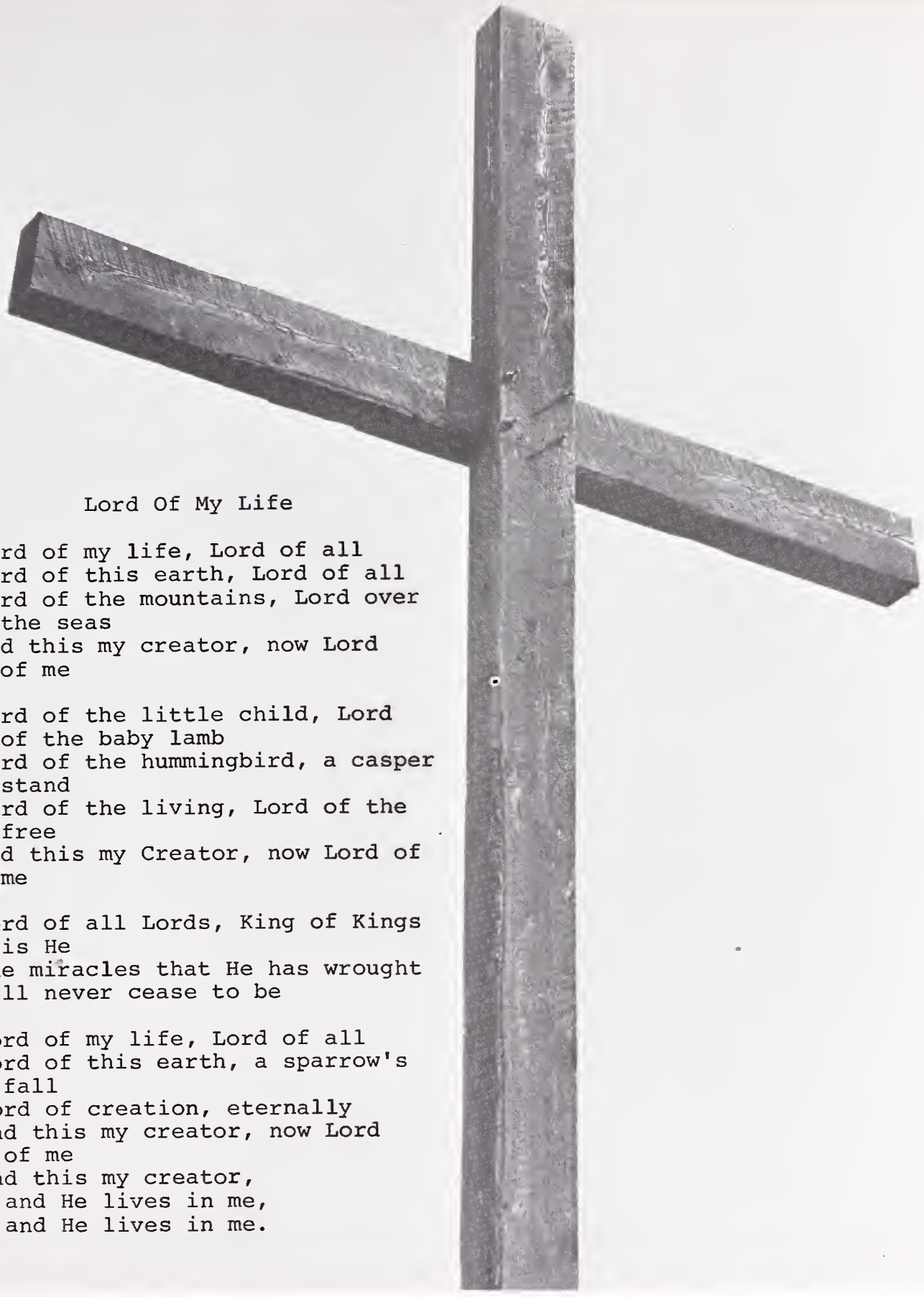
A dear sister who attended Western last year graduated early this fall to live in the presence of our Lord and learn at His feet. Though she now lives in God's presence she also lives in our lives through the affect she had on us. Ruth Wilson never felt physically up to par while she was going to school, but even though she had a rough cough and her diet was very restricted, yet I never once heard her complain. One evening I overheard Ruth ask one question that I've never forgotten. As the rest of us students were going through the chow line and were responding as usual with our incessant grumbling, Ruth was standing in the back of the kitchen, and with tears in her eyes she asked, "How could they ever complain that they're able to eat that kind of food?" I know the angels are rejoicing to have Ruth with them now, but I also know we rejoice that she was with us this last year to teach us many lessons we probably would not have learned any other way.



Lord Of My Life

Lord of my life, Lord of all
Lord of this earth, Lord of all
Lord of the mountains, Lord over
the seas
And this my creator, now Lord
of me

Lord of the little child, Lord
of the baby lamb
Lord of the hummingbird, a casper
stand
Lord of the living, Lord of the
free
And this my Creator, now Lord of
me

Lord of all Lords, King of Kings
is He
The miracles that He has wrought
Will never cease to be

Lord of my life, Lord of all
Lord of this earth, a sparrow's
fall
Lord of creation, eternally
And this my creator, now Lord
of me
And this my creator,
and He lives in me,
and He lives in me.

MINISTRIES

I Was There

I was there Jesus,
Giving false testimony.
I was there Jesus,
Spitting, mocking, slapping you.
I was there Jesus,
Hating, wanting to see your death.
I was there Jesus,
fearful of losing my precious
position in the nation.
I was there Jesus,
In the crowd, yelling "Crucify Him"!
I was there Jesus,
When they led you away.
I was there Jesus,
Saying, "There that's taken care of"
I was there Jesus,
Even as Peter, who valiantly swore
his allegiance.
I was there Jesus,
Even as Peter, who then denied You
with cursing.
I was there Jesus,
When suspended upon the cross, You forgave
I was there Jesus,
Throwing selfish pride away.
I was there Jesus,
Accepting the gift.
I was there Jesus,
Asking to always be there,
with You.

Pin-Prick

by Elva McAllaster

A pinprick on my little finger
concerns me more
than welt or boil or abscess
on another hand,
concerns me more
than cancer in my neighbor's shoulder,
more than leprosariums in India,
more than famines in whole nations
along the Sahara.
God, in this mini-thimble of a heart
how can I hold
Your oceans of concern, of care,
of knowing, even,
what man does to other-brother man
in Israel, Jordan, Cyprus,
in Viet Nam,
in all the ghettos?
All-loving God, how can I love
them all? love any?
How can I love my neighbor
as myself?
I touch Merthiolate to my little finger
but see it leprous;
see it severed, mangled,
by a hand grenade in Belfast.
God, how can I let more
of Your compassion trickle through
this mini-measured mitral valve,
this me?

Student Missions Impact

UPPER LEFT: S.M.I. Officers: Dave Silver, President; John Worrell, Vice President; Joy Blackie Secretary-Treasurer. ABOVE; Summer Missionaries: Ron Klass, Pam Garrison, Dave Walters, Barbara Cox, Dave Fundenburger. LEFT; Prayer Band Leaders

Student Mission Impact is dedicated to encouraging a missionary effort and zeal at Western Bible College. This is the commitment and challenge we must face in response to the ''Great Commission''. In order to accomplish this over all objective S.M.I. has several programs:

Summer Missionaries- Several students are selected each year to go to some mission field during their summer vacation and serve as short term, or summer missionaries with some mission board. It is their opportunity to see the mission field first-hand, gain some experience on the field and enable them to determine more clearly the will of the Lord for their lives concerning the mission field.

Student Ministry Groups- Each week students meet in a number of groups to share a time of fellowship, prayer and concern for a particular ministry. Over 20 groups are available to the students. They are given a concern and awareness for each others needs and needs on the mission field as they meet in these small groups led by other students.

Missions Conference

. . . A vessel . . . set apart, useful to the Master, prepared for every good work.
2 Timothy 2:21

As the missionaries share with the students during Western Bible College Missions Week hearts were blessed and lives were challenged to become the person God would use for His glory. It was quite evident in the messages and in the response of the students that the Lord was touching lives. In the various seminars conducted each day students had the opportunity to hear further about specific areas of missionary interest. Missionary films, fellowship with the missionary speakers along with popcorn and pop was the order for each evening. While the conference is history, it is our prayer that the seed sown during the conference will bear much fruit in the years ahead.

ABOVE: The missionary displays and literature provided valuable information for the students. Here, Claude Tunstall checks out some material from Far Eastern Gospel Crusade.

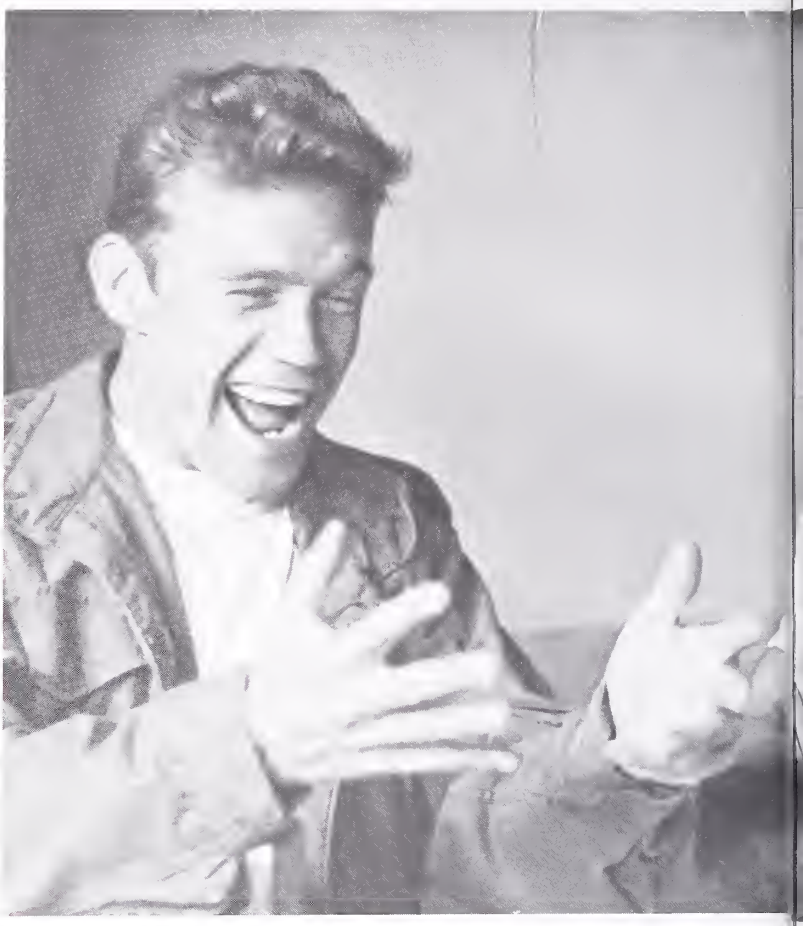
CENTER: The conference also provided an opportunity for missionaries to share with one another. Crawford Loritts and Roger Fox fellowship together after a session.

FAR RIGHT: Dick Springer spent many hours visiting with students during the afternoons and evenings of the conference.

LEFT. "Native" Brad Rumsey putting missionary Jim Van Meter into the stew pot.

Our God is far greater that words
can made known,
He's working through servants,
far off and at home.
In infinite splendor, He rules
over all,
Yet He uses poor vessels when
on Him they call.

God's power is great and He keeps
me alert,
Honored and useful, prepared for
His work.
But greater than all these
glories I see,
He's molding this vessel.
He'll use even me.



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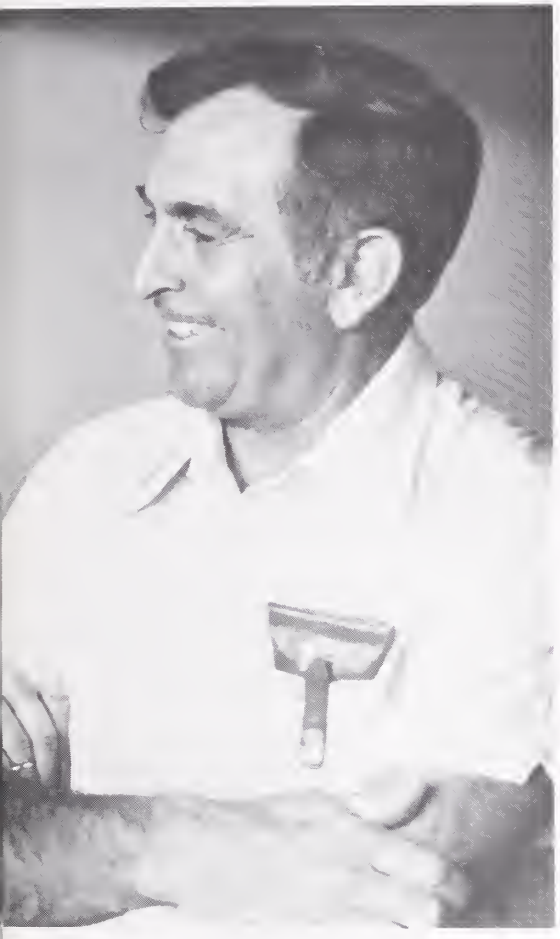


ABOVE. The exhuberant Marshal Tate and his family supplied a sweet spirit of song for the conference.

LEFT. Academic Dean, Bill Boyd and Overseas Christian Serviceman's Center's C.P. Tarkington share some thoughts on missionary work over a cup of coffee.

Day of Prayer

GRADUATES

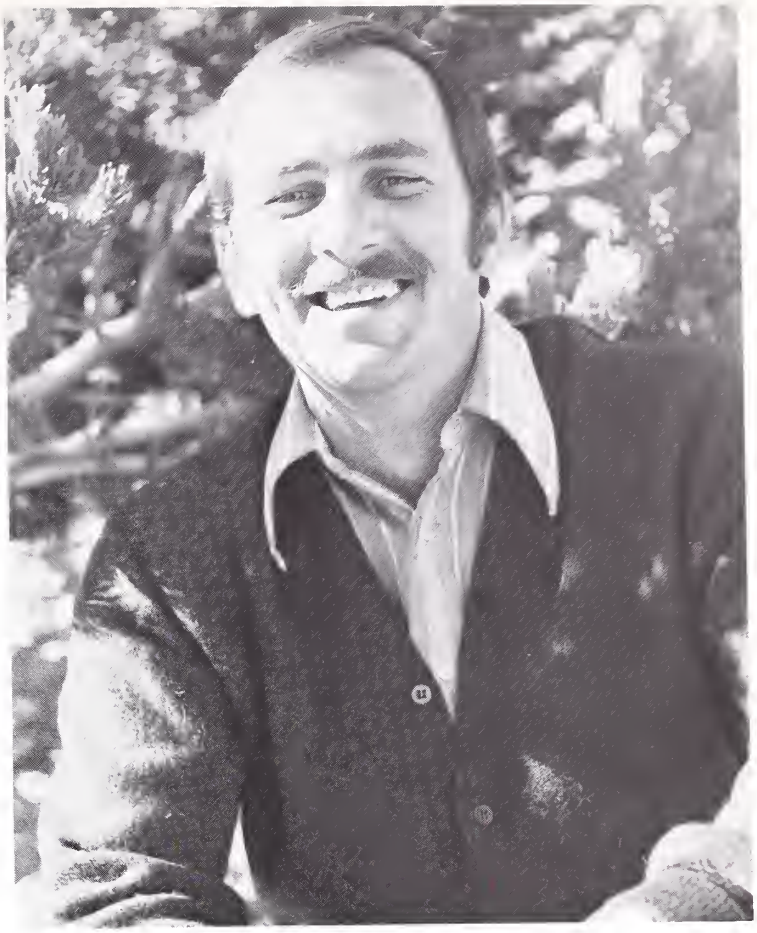
DON BAKER B.B.E.
Missions Minor

I will instruct thee and teach in the way which thou shalt go; I will guide thee with mine eye.
Psalms 32:8

BOB DUNN B.B.S.
Pastoral Minor

Having also believed, you were sealed in Him with the Holy Spirit of promise, who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God's possession.
Ephesians 1:13b-14a

DAVE McNEEL B.B.S.
Pastoral Minor



MIKE SHIELDS B.B.E.
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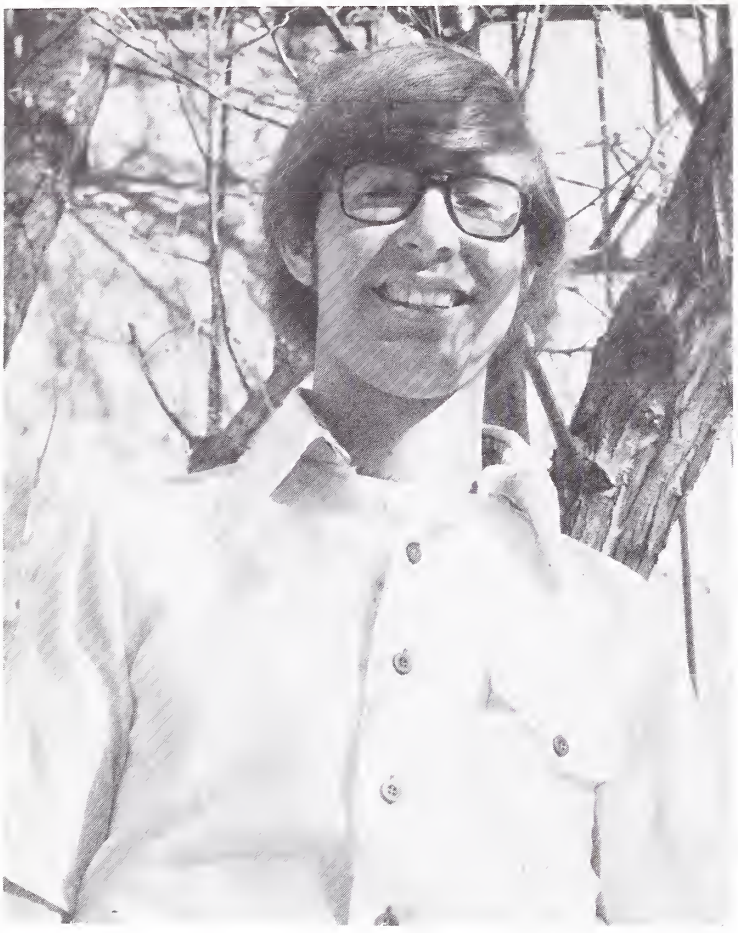
Beloved, now we are children of God, and it has not appeared as yet what we shall be. We know that, when He appears, we shall be like Him, because we shall see Him just as He is.

I John 3:2



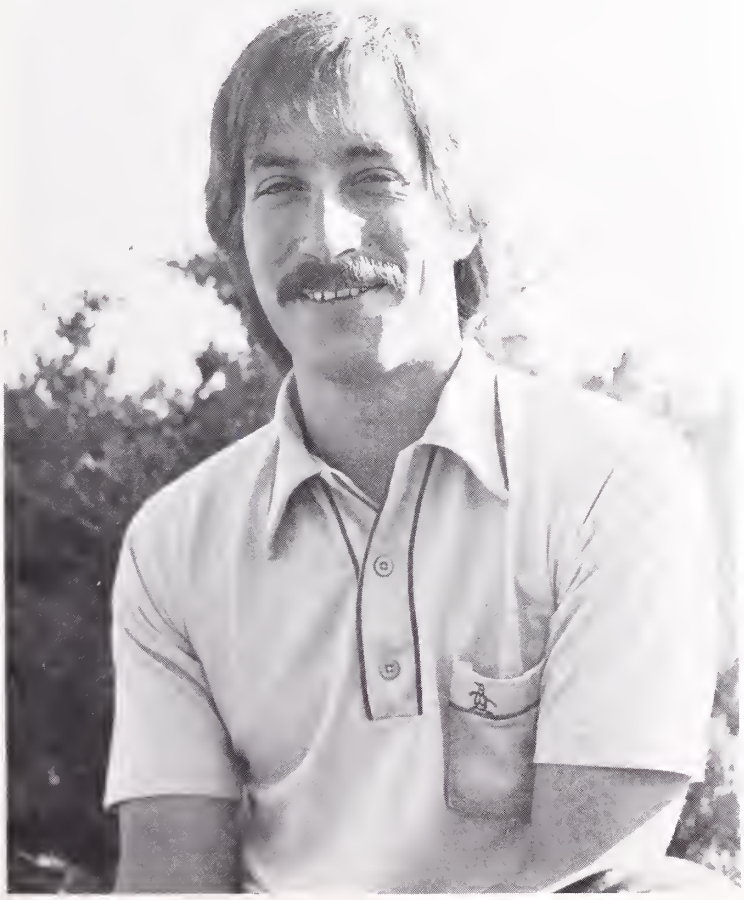
MARK WALTERS B.B.E.
Christian Education Minor

TIM BABCOCK
Associate Degree

CARROLL ANN GOON B.B.S.
Christian Education Minor

Retain the standard of sound words which you have heard from me, in the faith and love which are in Christ Jesus.

2 Timothy 1:13



JIM TERRY B.B.S.
Pastoral Minor

But God so composed the body, giving more abundant honor to that member which lacked, that there should be no division in the body, but that the members should have the same care for one another. And if one member suffers, all the members suffer with it; if one member is honored, all the members rejoice with it. Now you are Christ's body, and individually members of it.

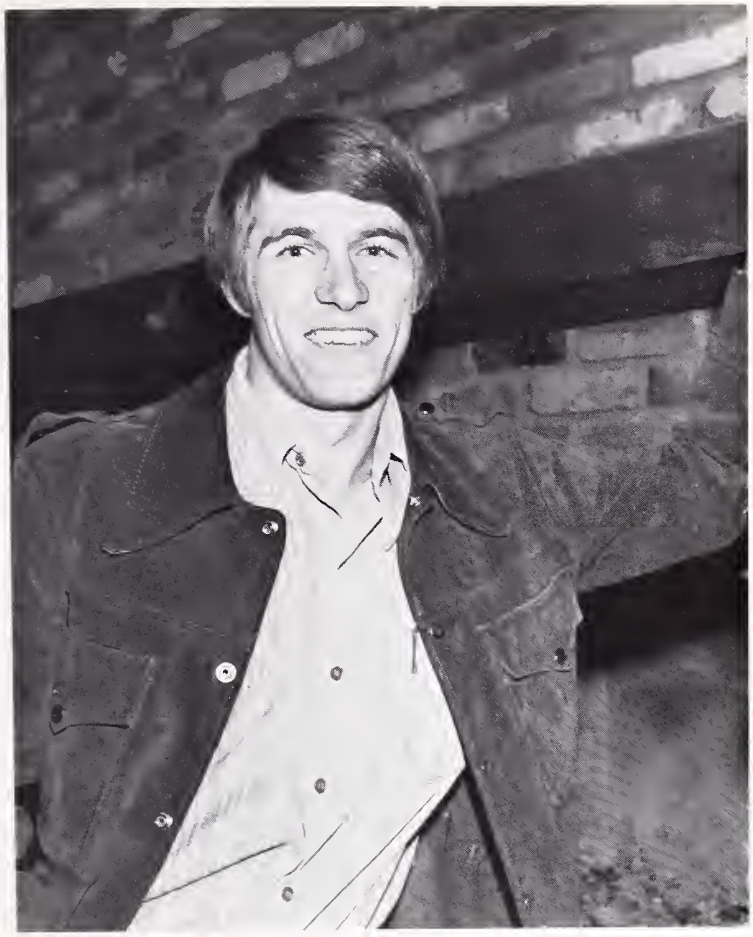
1 Corinthians 12:24b-27

DOUG BROWN B.B.E.
Associate Degree

KIRK DUNHAM B.B.E.
Missions Minor

But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added to you. Therefore do not be anxious for tomorrow; for tomorrow will care for itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

Matthew 6:33,34



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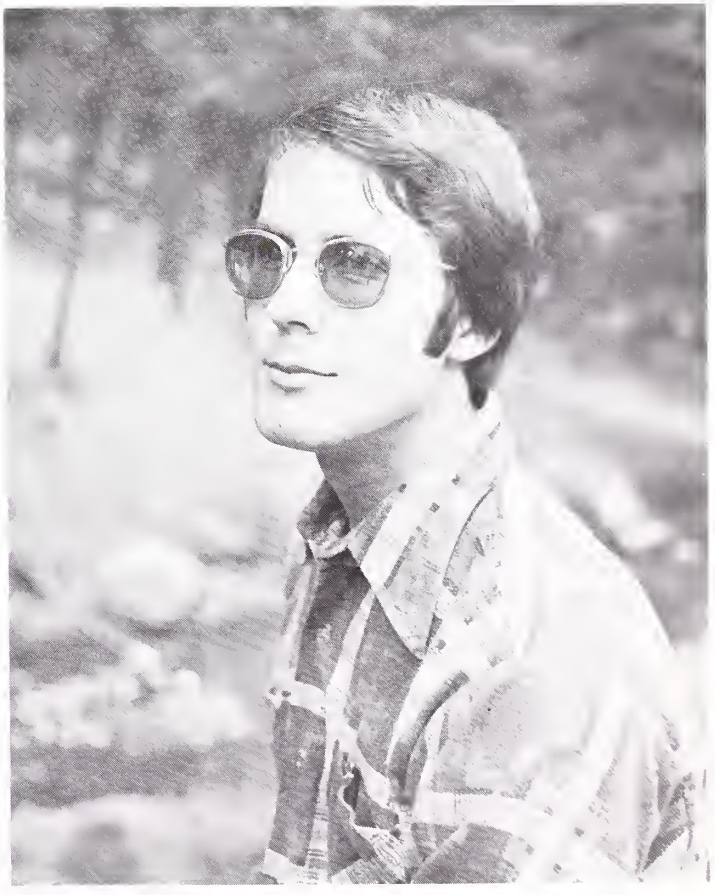


JON SCHRAG B.B.S.
Pastoral Minor

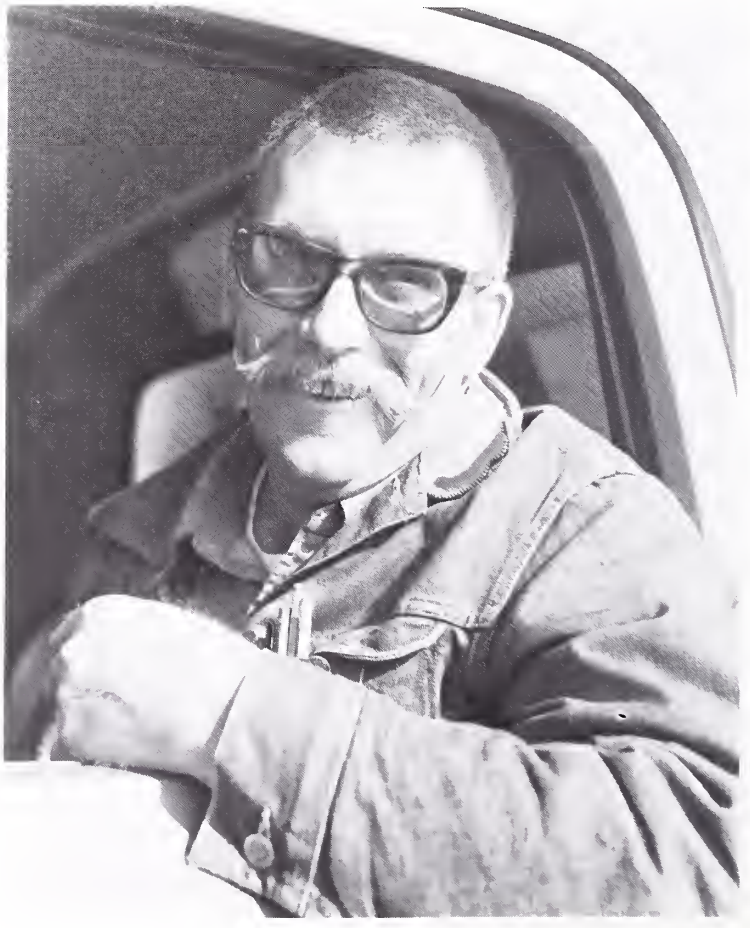
For the Lord your God is the God of gods and the Lord of lords, the great, the mighty, and the awesome God who does not show partiality.

Deuteronomy 10:17a

JOHN KEITH B.B.E.
Pastoral Minor

And walk in love, just as Christ also loved you, and gave Himself up for us, an offering and a sacrifice to God as a fragrant aroma.

Ephesians 5:2



JIM DICKINSON
Associate Degree

One thing I have asked from the Lord, that I shall seek; that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the Lord, and to meditate in His temple.

Psalms 27:4

LYNNAE LAVATY B.B.E.
Music Minor

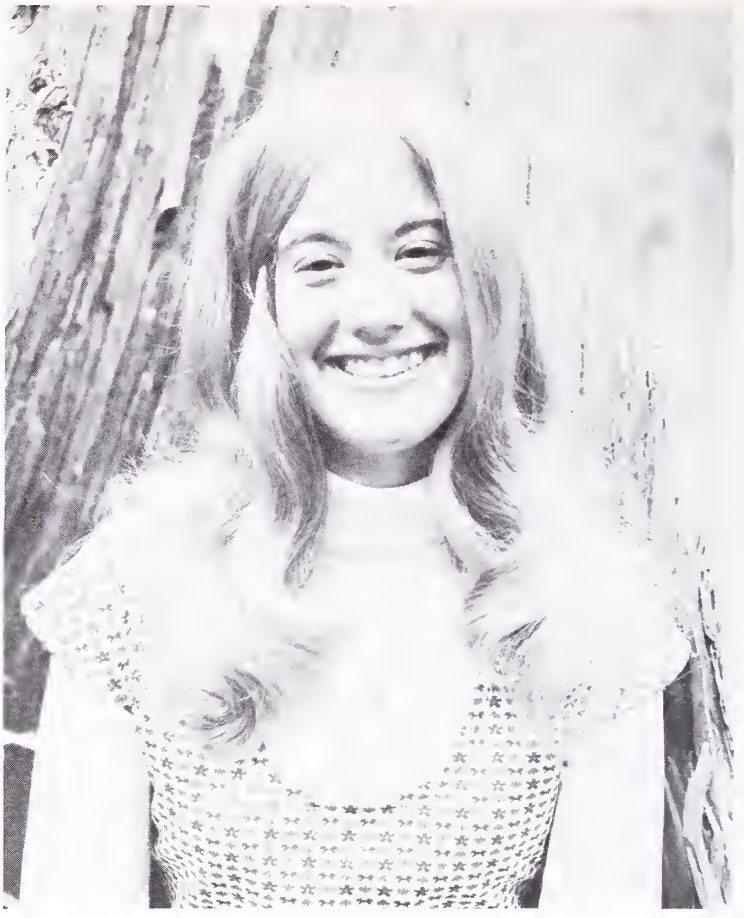
And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose.

Romans 8:28

JOHN ZAMPARELLI B.B.E.
Pastoral Minor

How then shall they call upon Him in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in Him whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher?

Romans 10:14



RUTH DOZIER B.B.E.
Christian Education Minor

Thus says the Lord, "Let not a wise man boast of his wisdom, and let not the mighty man boast of his might, let not a rich man boast of his riches; but let him who boasts boast of this, that he understands and knows Me, that I am the Lord who exercises loving kindness, justice, and righteousness on earth; for I delight in these things," declares the Lord.
Jeremiah 9:23,24

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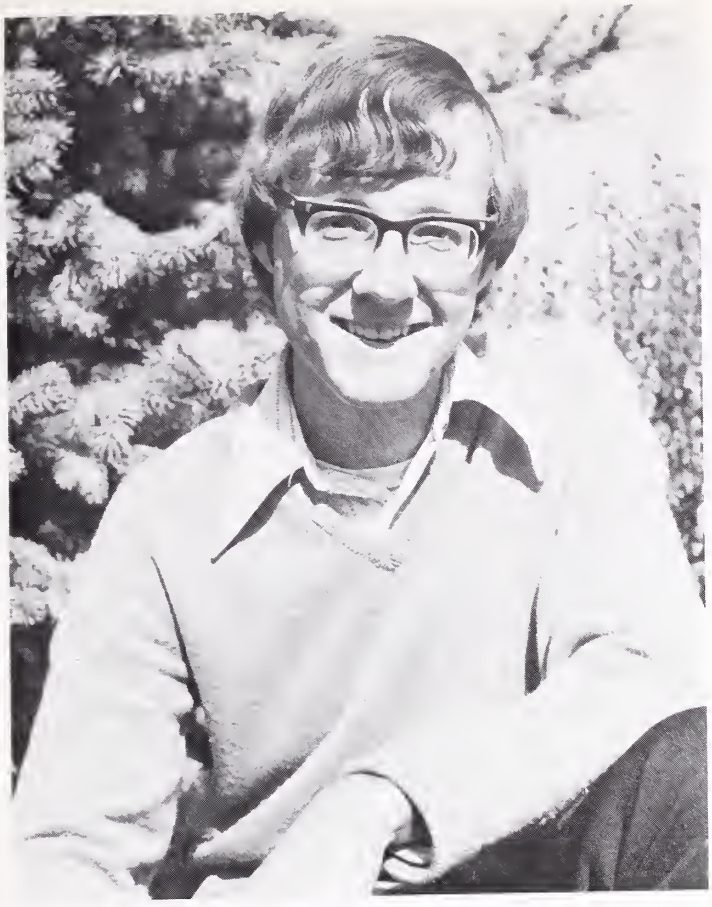

TIM BUTLER B.B.E.
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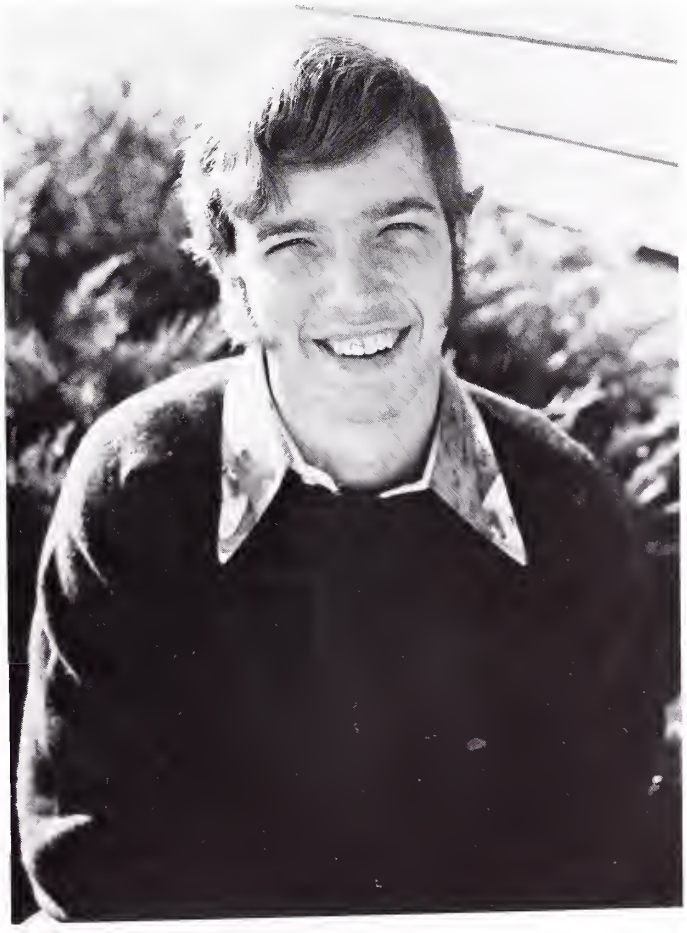
And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.
2 Corinthians 9:8



KEN COOPER B.B.S.
Missions Minor

Let no unwholesome word proceed from your mouth, but only such a word as is good for edification according to the need of the moment, that it may give grace to those who hear.
Ephesians 4:29

JAN VANCE B.B.S.
Missions Minor

"For My thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways My ways," declares the Lord. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways, and My thoughts than your thoughts."

Isaiah 55:8-9

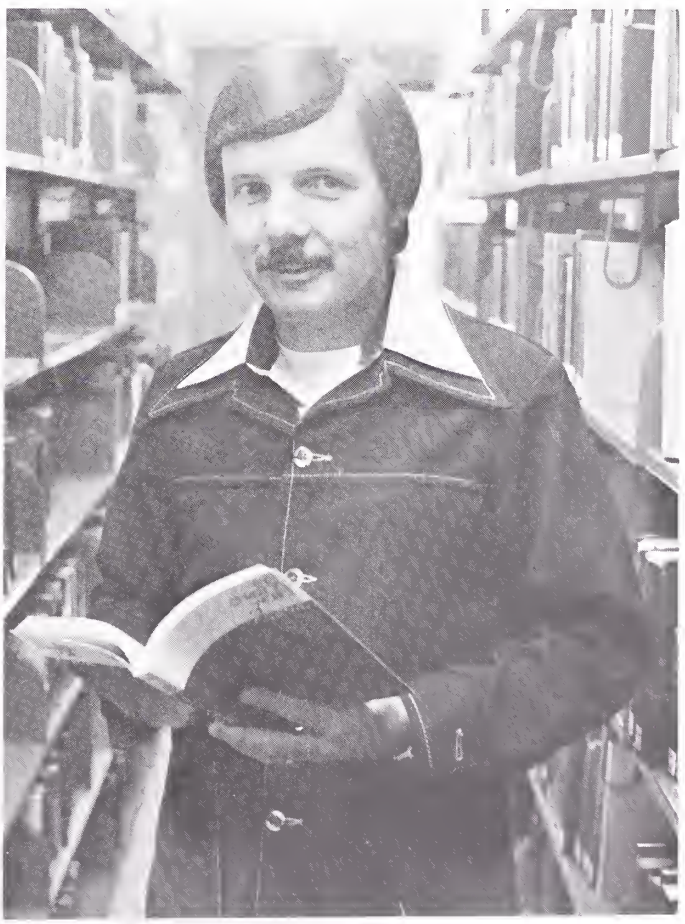
DAN VANCE B.B.E.
Missions Minor

When the enemy shall come in like a flood, the Spirit of the Lord shall lift up a standard against him.
Isaiah 59:19b

BARRY BECKLEY B.B.E.
Christian Education Minor

Therefore, since we have so great a cloud of witnesses surrounding us, let us also lay aside every encumbrance, and the sin which so easily entangles us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of faith, who for the joy set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

Hebrews 12:1-2



TOM REMPEL B.B.E.
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Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful;

Hebrews 10:23

PAUL HOFFMAN B.B.E.
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BRIAN LIEIBI B.B.E.
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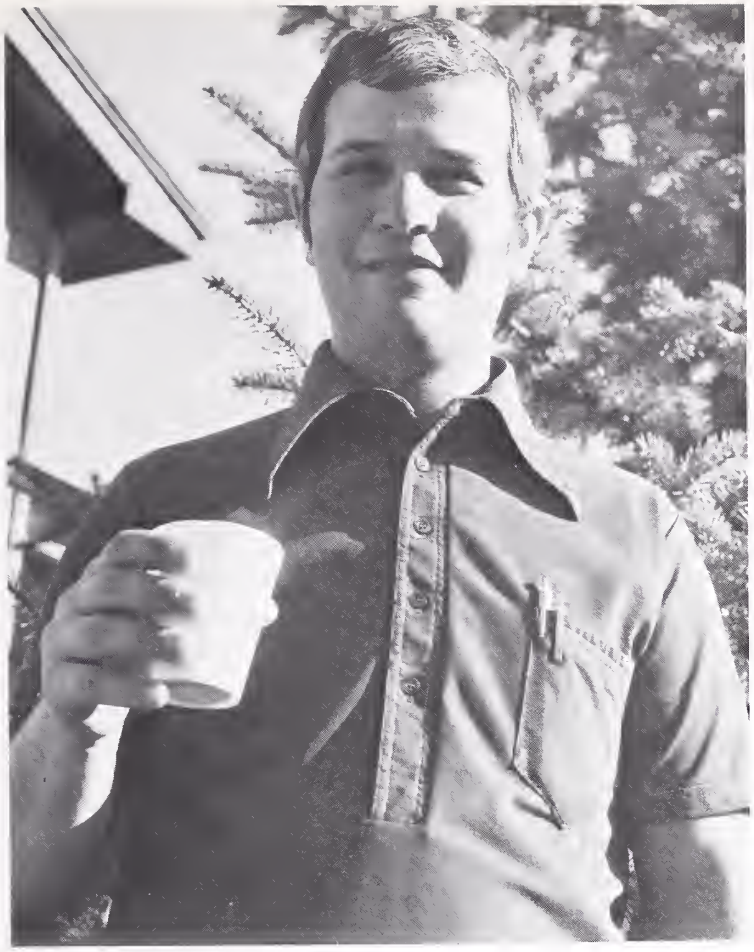
Whom have I in heaven but Thee? And besides Thee, I desire nothing on earth. My flesh and my heart may fail; But God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.

Psalms 73:25-26



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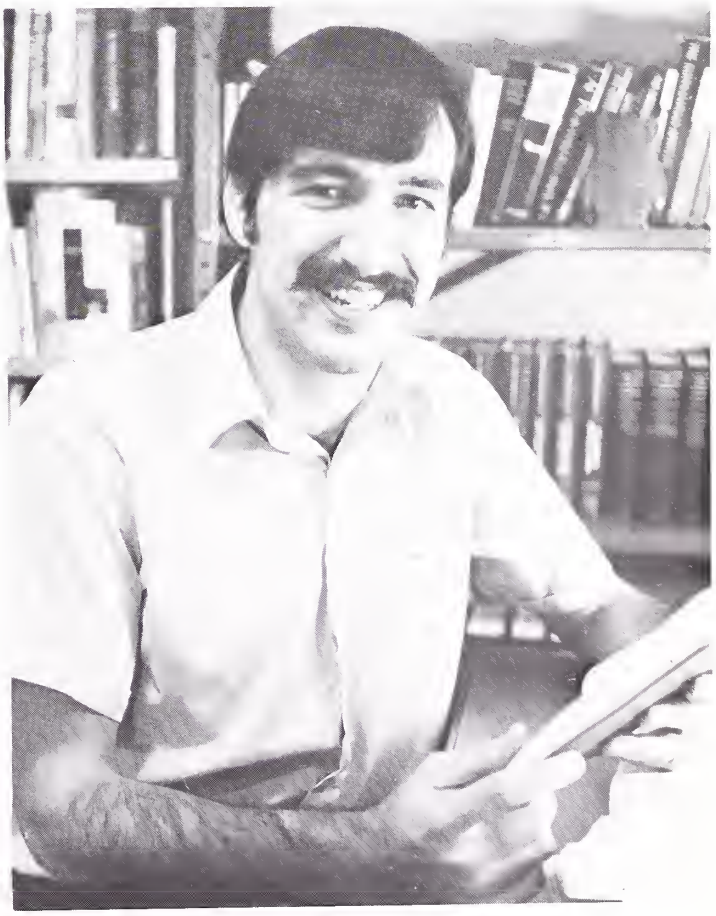
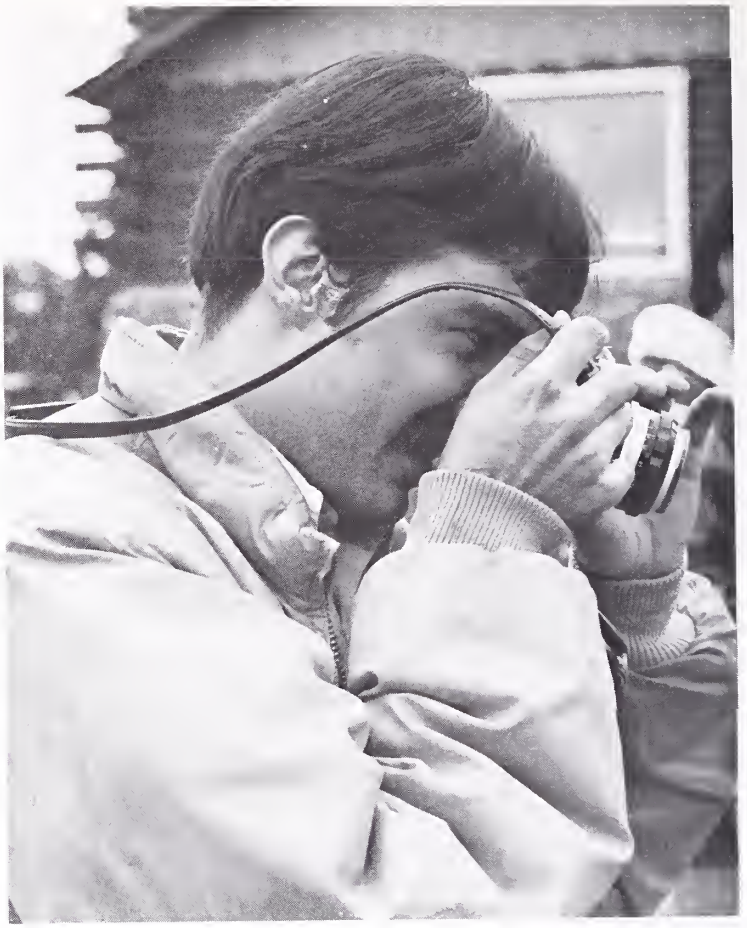


CONRAD SMITH B.B.S.
Pastoral Minor

According to my earnest expectation and hope, that I shall not be put to shame in anything, but that with all boldness, Christ shall even now, as always, be exalted in my body, whether by life or by death. For to me, to live is Christ, and to die is gain.

Phillippians 1:20-21



It seems like only yesterday we embarked on our lives at school with expectation, apprehension and uncertainty. Now, four years later, we are seniors and the trek begins again; we look to the future with the same sense of expectation, apprehension and uncertainty, for we have come far, and yet it seems we have so far to go. The world challenges us to come forth, we accept, not certain of all the perils that await us but confident in our armor.

Our hearts have been tempered with logic and our logic tempered with compassion. We have learned that Christianity is not a set of facts, figures, and formulas different from those of the world, nor is it simply a way of life. It is a temporal cause with eternal results. There can be no higher calling for man and for us there can be no other calling.

We resolve to handle with reverence and accuracy the Word of God for only through it do our words have meaning. We strive to maintain the highest personal standards and yet never view ourselves as superior to our fellow Christians. We seek to obtain all that God has for us as Christians and all that God has for us as individuals. We seek to "run with endurance the race that is set before us." (Heb. 12:1). So that we "may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect." (Rom. 12:2) For in a world gone mad nothing less will be sufficient.

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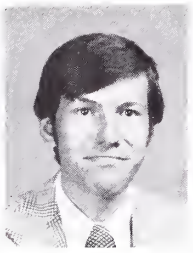

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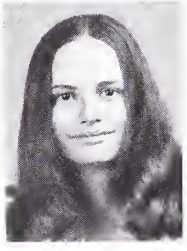

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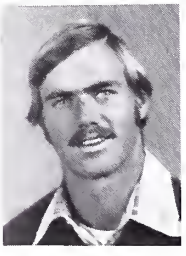

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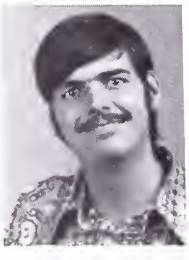
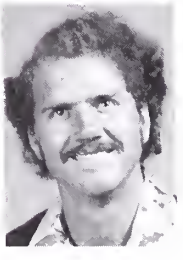

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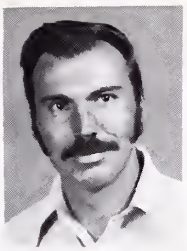

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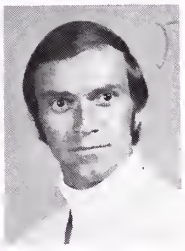

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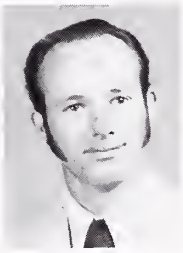
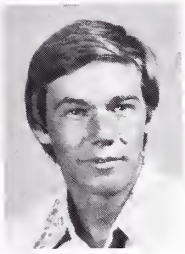

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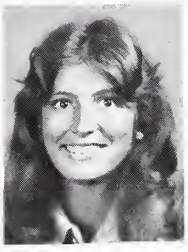

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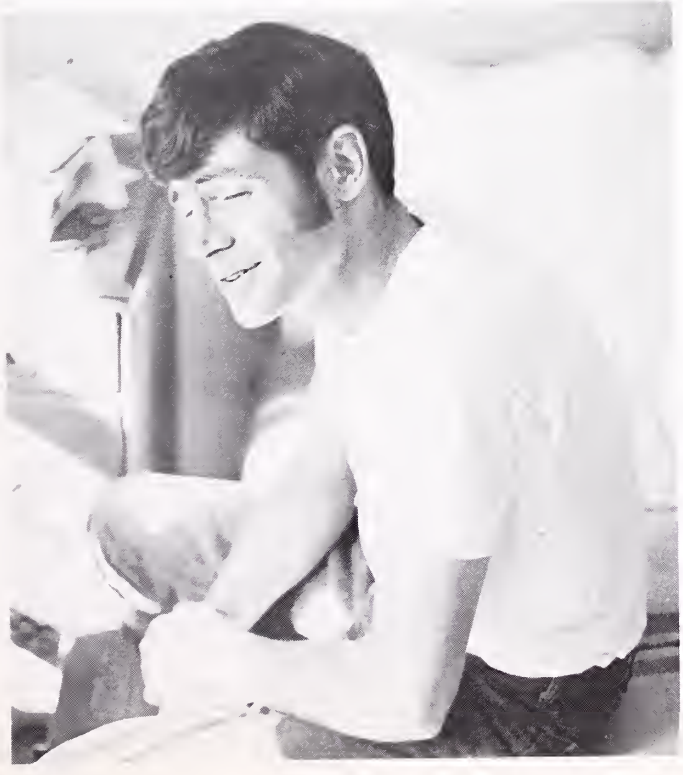

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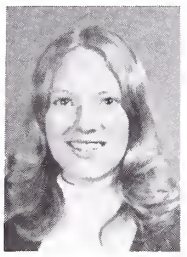

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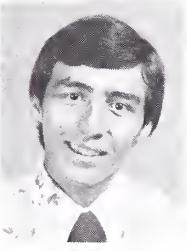

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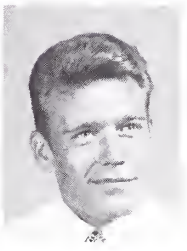
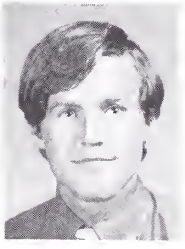

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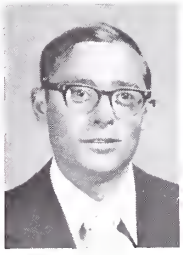

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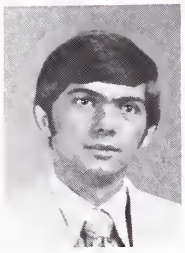

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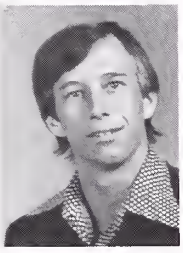

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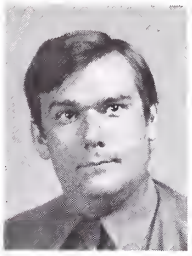

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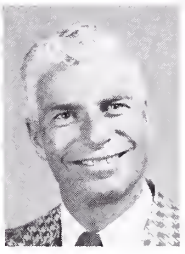

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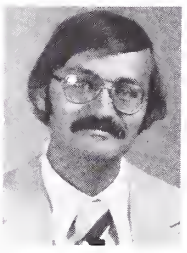
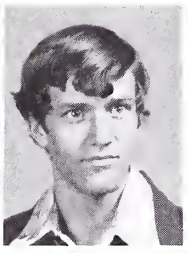

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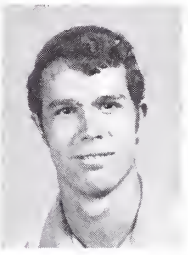
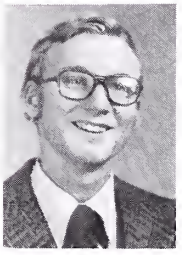

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Ceaseless work that never ends. Yearning for yesteday—but excitedly looking for tomorrow. Learning hard lessons and knowing that there are more to learn.

A class of originality and individuality—striving for unity. Devoting time and energy for this unity. Becoming involved with students and faculty.

Good times, bad times—but through it all, learning to look to God and to depend on Him for every need.

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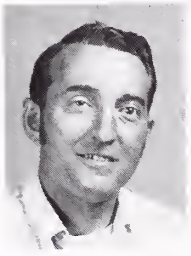

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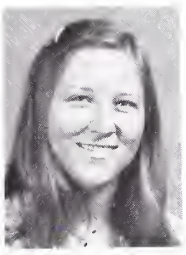

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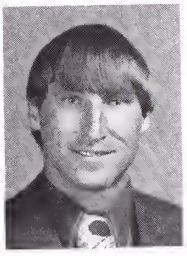

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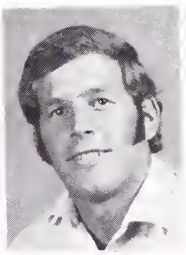

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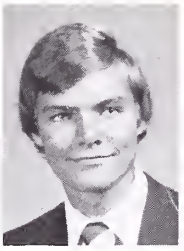

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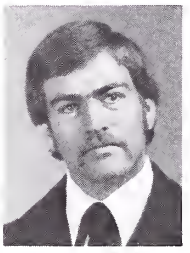

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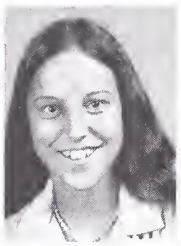
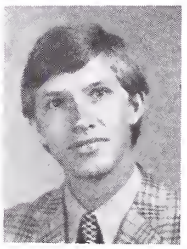

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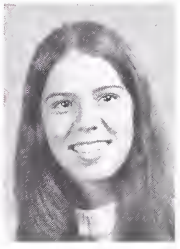
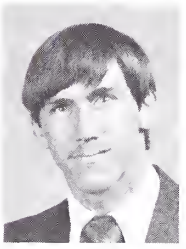
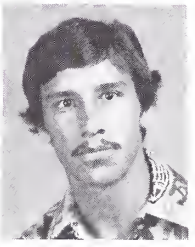

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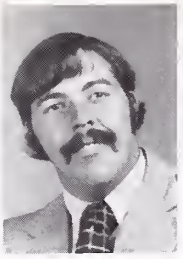

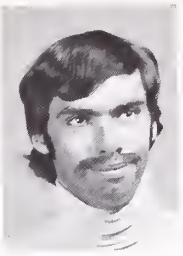

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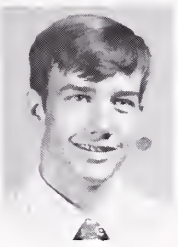

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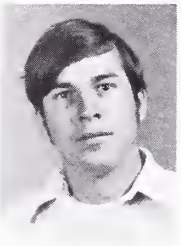

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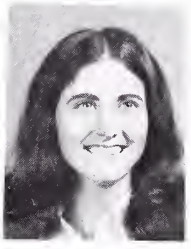

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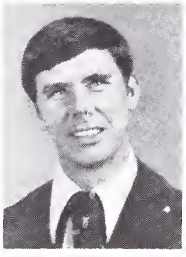
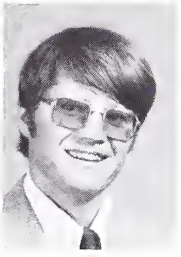

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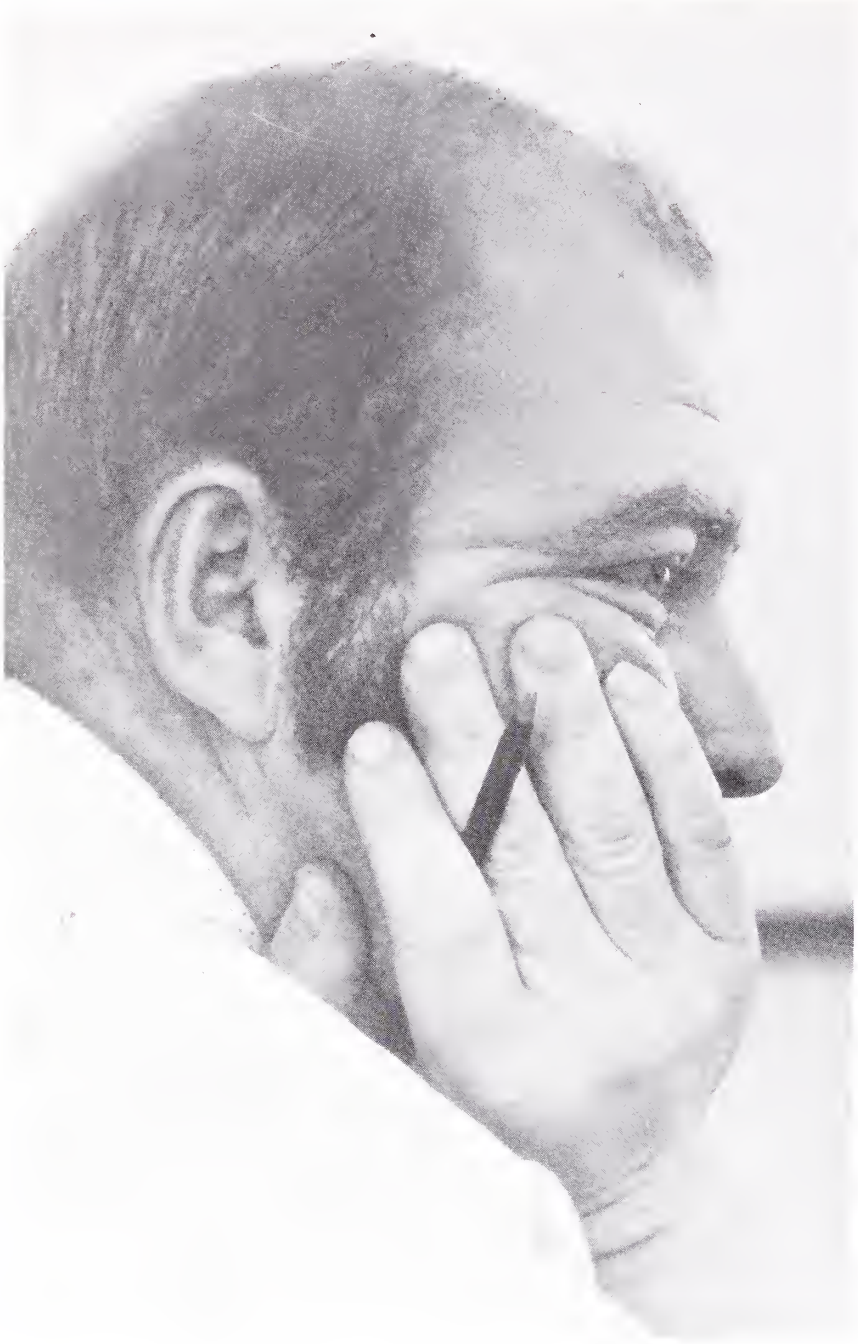
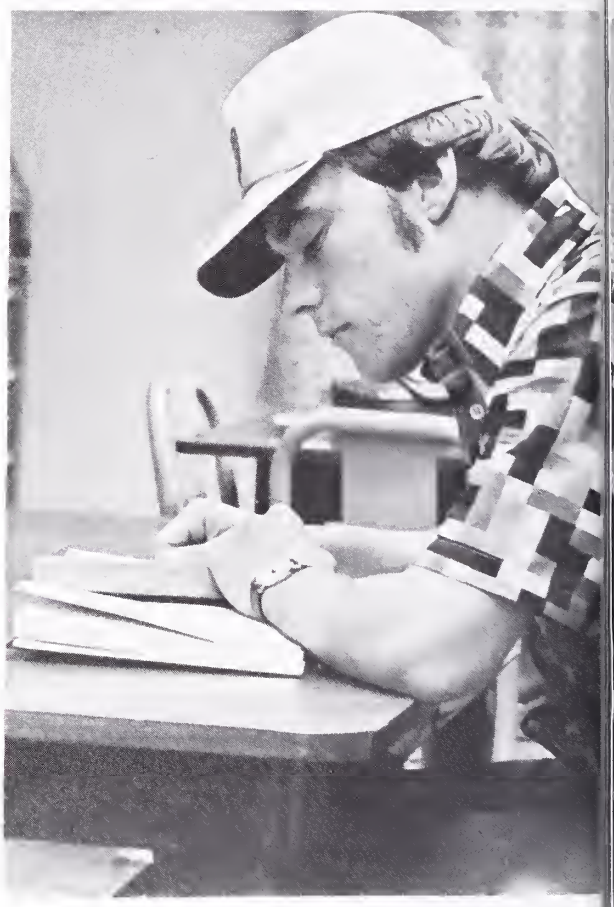
ABOVE: Vern Wigle—"It's been such a humbling day." RIGHT: Rodger Wilson—"Whew—made it though another day!"

TOP LEFT. Run girls, it must be the abominable snowman. CENTER. Fun time in the snow. FAR LEFT. "Make melody in your heart unto the Lord." TOP RIGHT. "Boy! I wish just one girl would say yes." LEFT. Best dressed man on campus.





ABOVE. I wish Mr. Borden would speak English, I can't understand Hebrew. RIGHT. Who are you daydreaming about, Luke?

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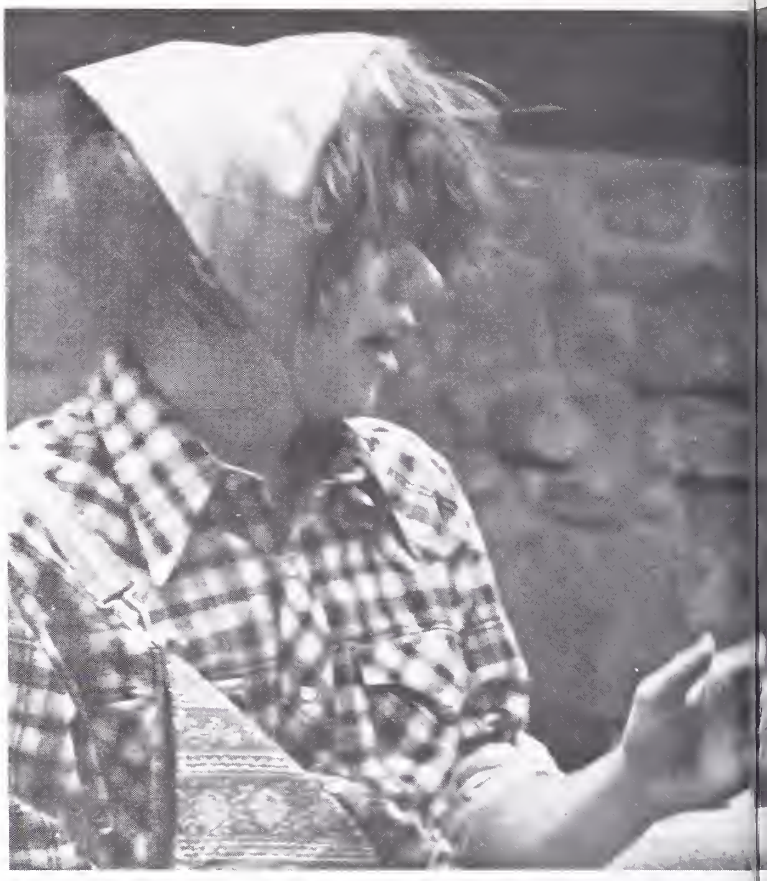
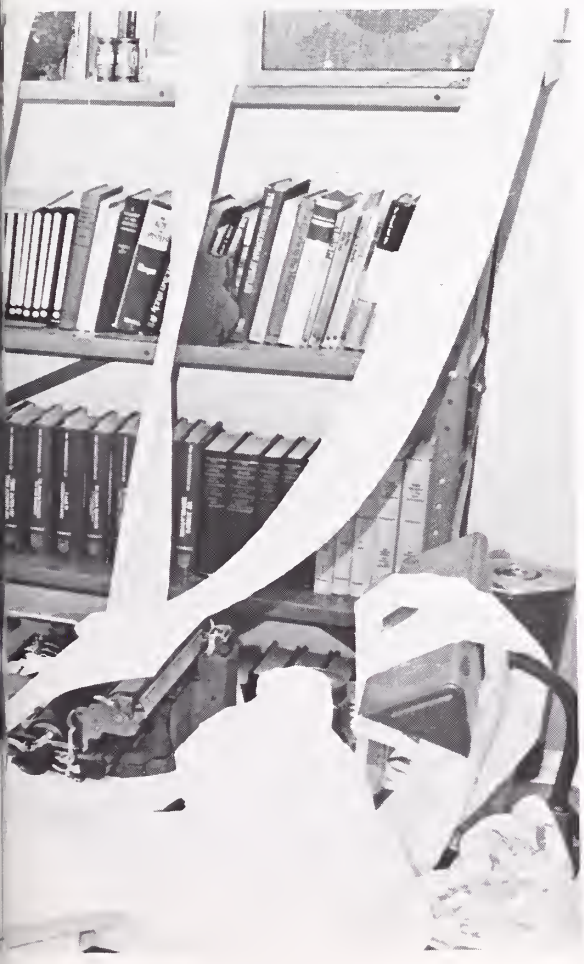
CENTER. Study hard Doug, It's your last year!
ABOVE RIGHT. Saundra, is this proper team spirit?

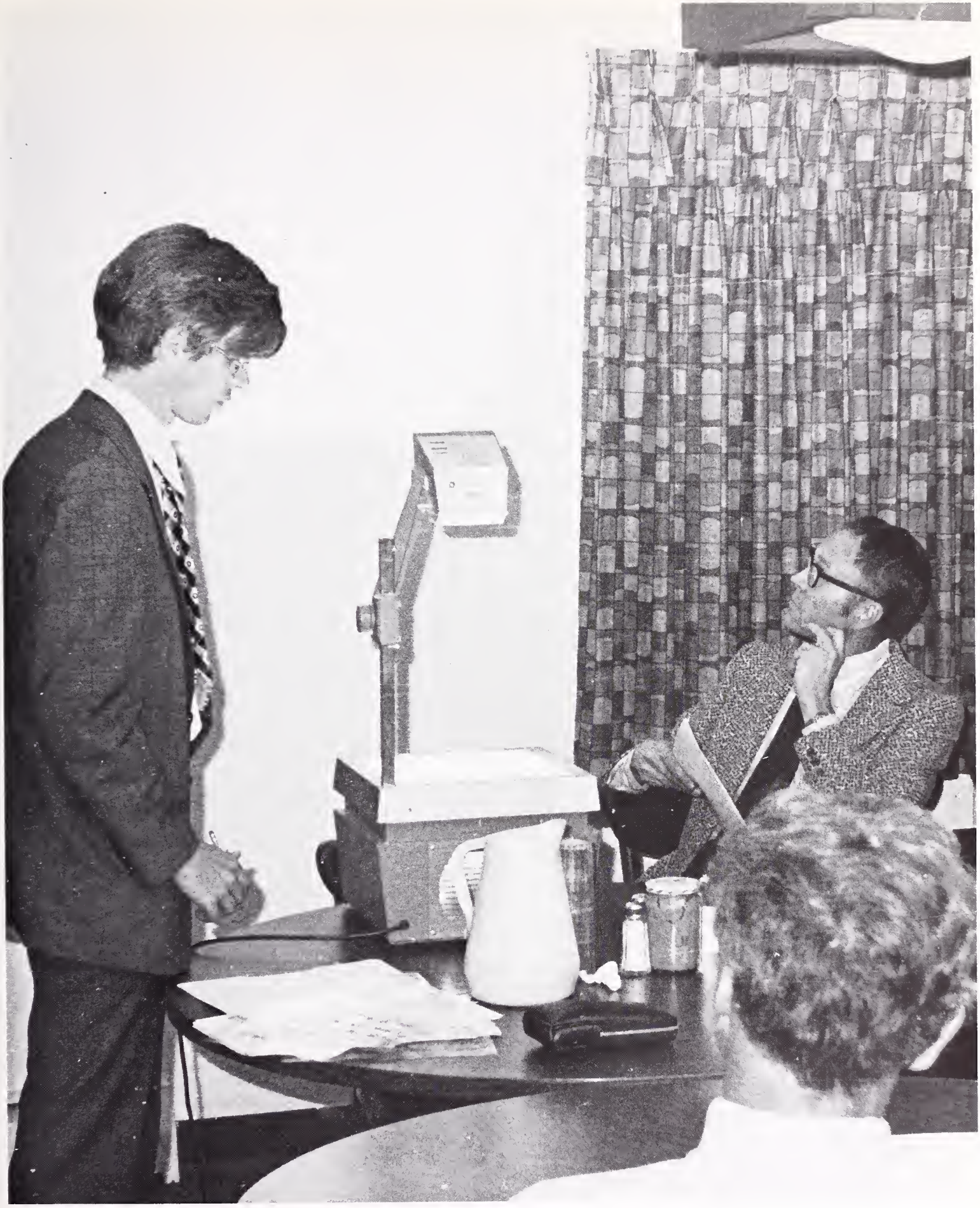


ABOVE. The Bronco's #1 draft choice. RIGHT. Conrad, it's a shame that the seniors can't set a better example.



BELOW: Now which plan do we run! LEFT: The Junior class clowns are at it again!

LEFT: Cec Galloway— Open wide and say "yum"!
ABOVE: James Leake—"Higher guys; we've got to put this on top."

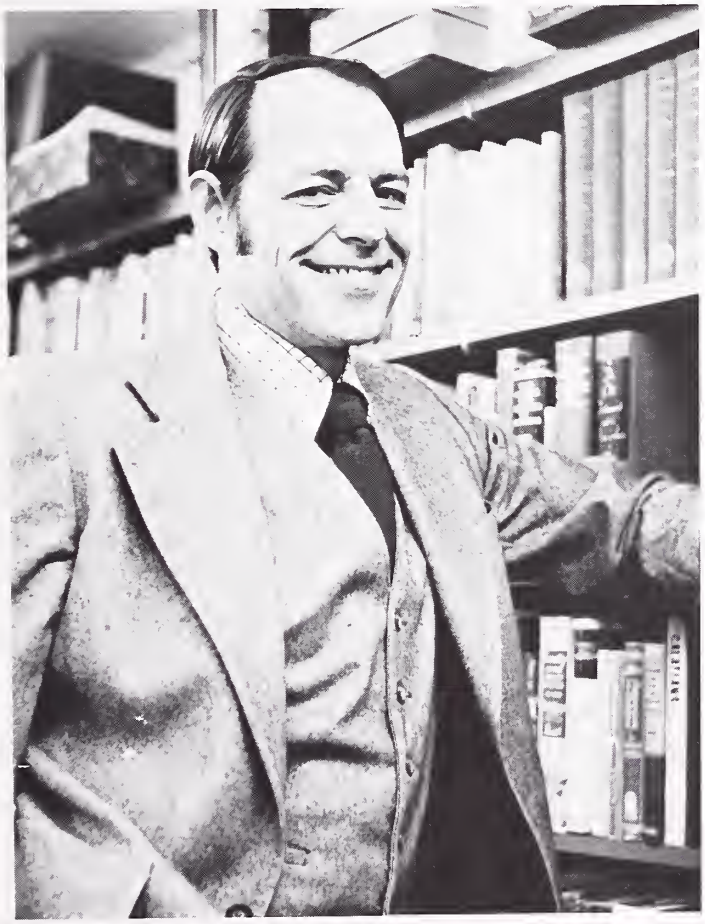


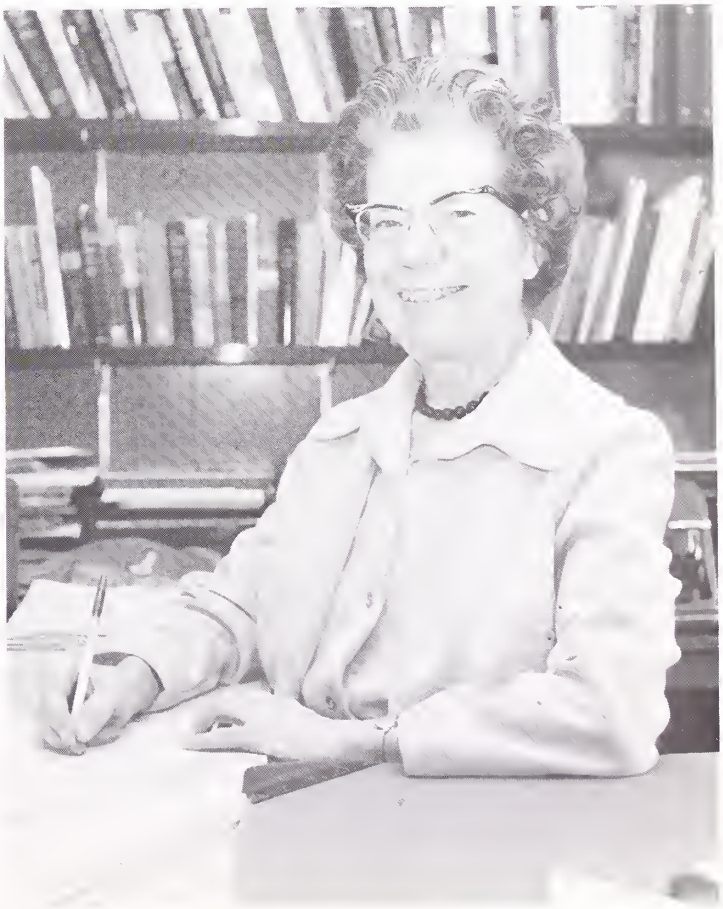
DIRECTION

TOP: President Adrian House
BOTTOM: Board of Trustees

A faculty and administration at a Christian college must be more than good educators and organizers. They must be continually seeking to be Christ-like in every respect and to inspire that likeness in the student body. We don't close our eyes to their faults nor do we delude ourselves that they have attained the highest level of Christ-likeness. We do know, however, that each are committed as Paul was in Philippians to pressing toward the upward call of God in Christ Jesus. We do not have the privilege of benefiting directly through Jesus' teaching ministry, but through the diligence, abilities, and commitment of these men, we get a taste of what it means to set at the feet of the Master.

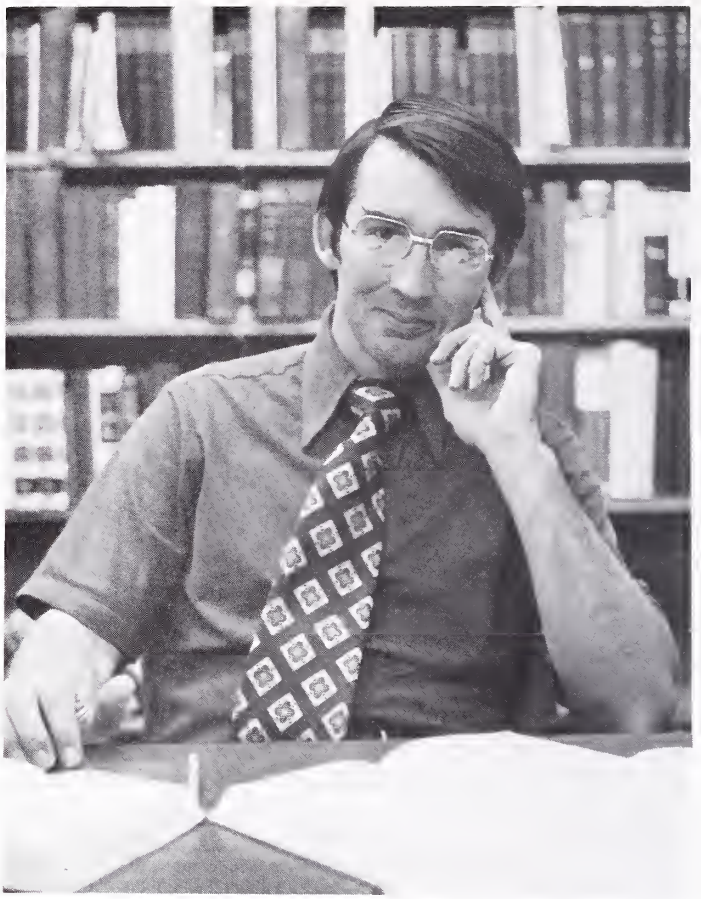
BELOW: William Boyd, Academic Dean; UPPER RIGHT: Larry Carrier, Dean of Students; LOWER RIGHT: Elsie Fick, Registrar





But we request of you, brethren, that you, appreciate those who diligently labor among you, and have charge over you in the Lord and give you instruction, and that you esteem them very highly in love because of their work.

I Thessalonians 5:12-13



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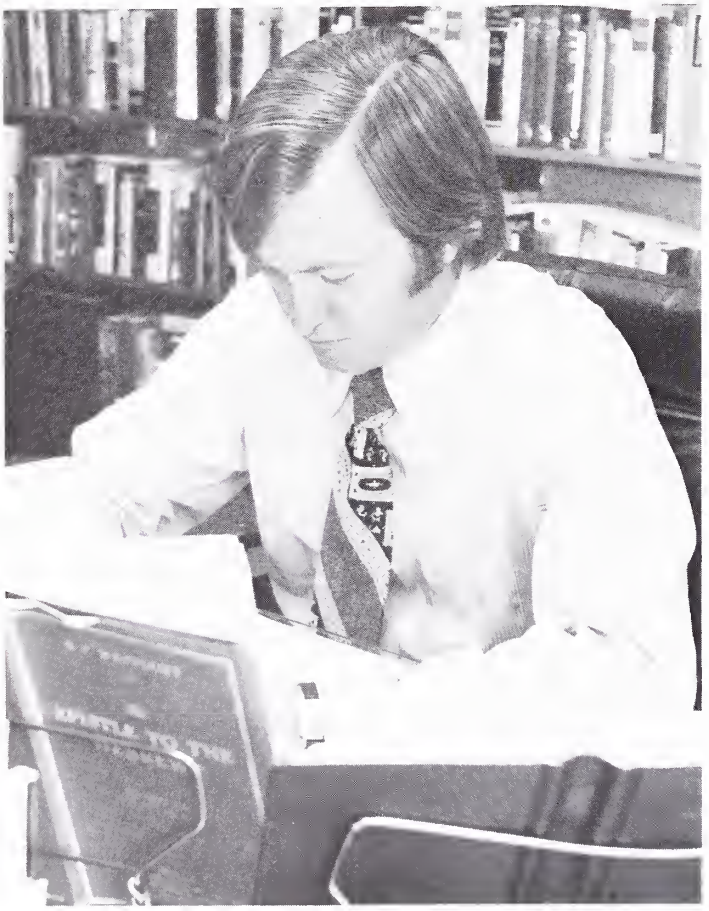
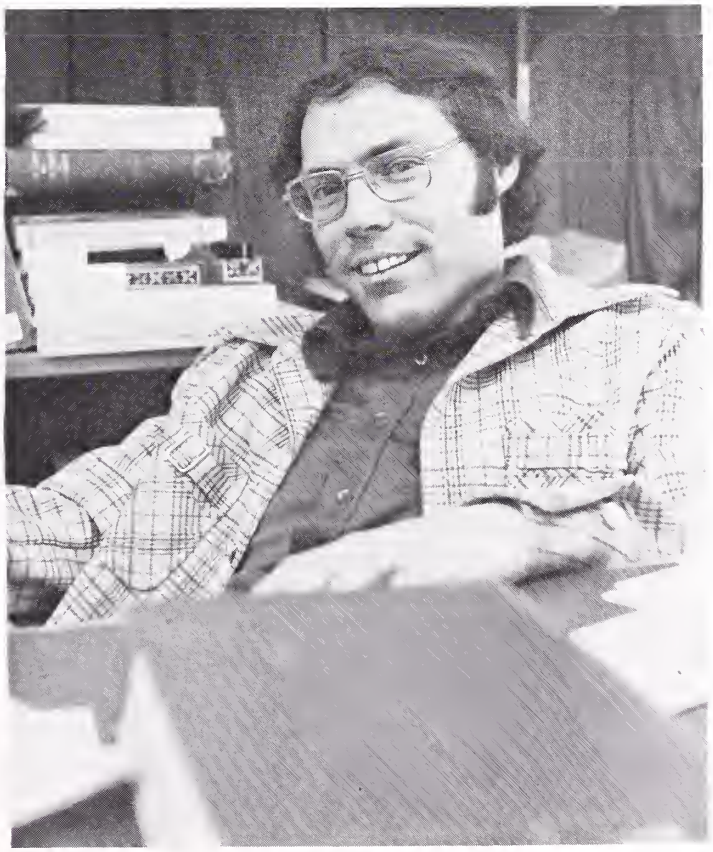
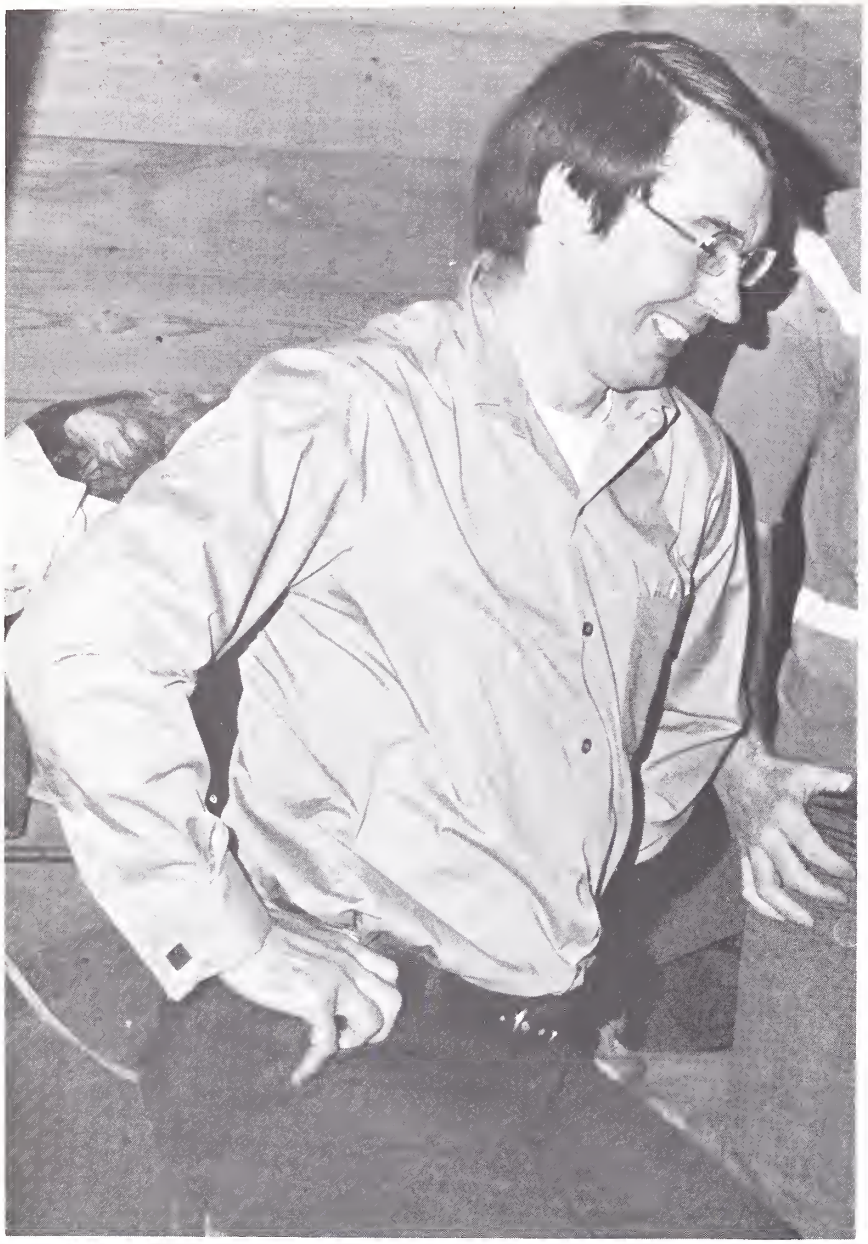


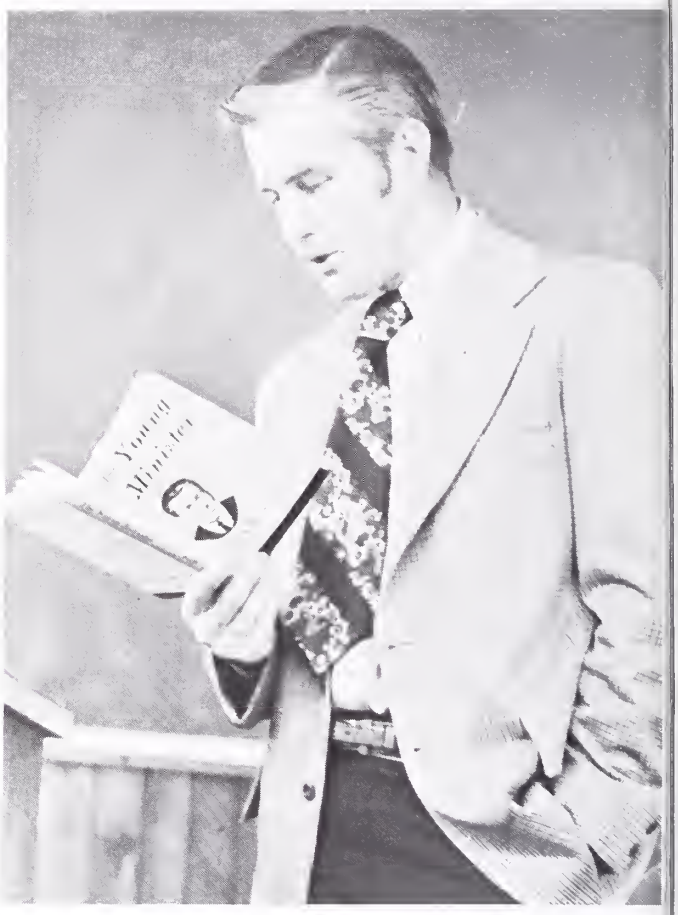
TOP: Leon Anderson, Music; BOTTOM LEFT: Dennis Ortman, Missions; BOTTOM RIGHT: Jerome Walker, History and Philosophy

But we proved to be gentle among you, as a nursing mother tenderly cares for her own children. Having thus a fond affection for you, we were well pleased to impart to you not only the gospel but also our very lives, because you had become very dear to us.

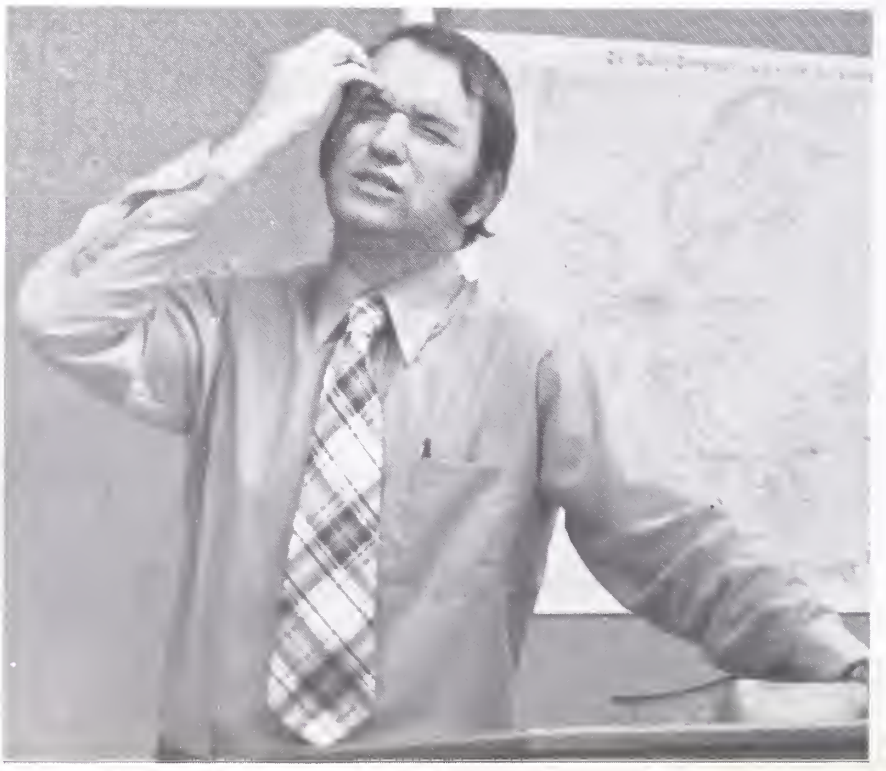
I Thessalonians 2:7-8







"Knowing Brethren, what kind of men we proved to be among you . . ."



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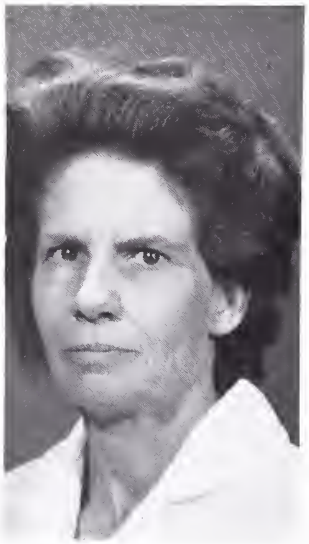

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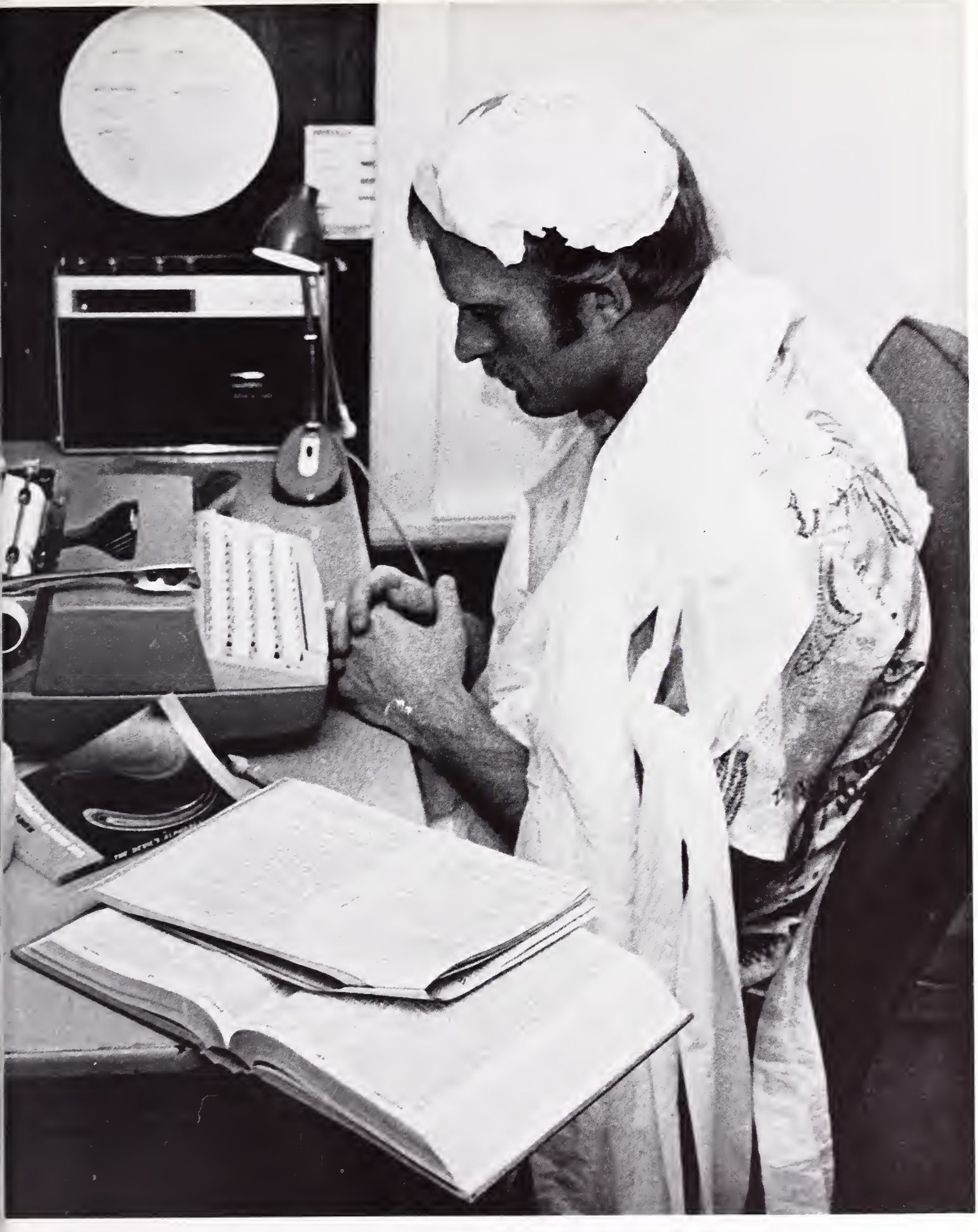

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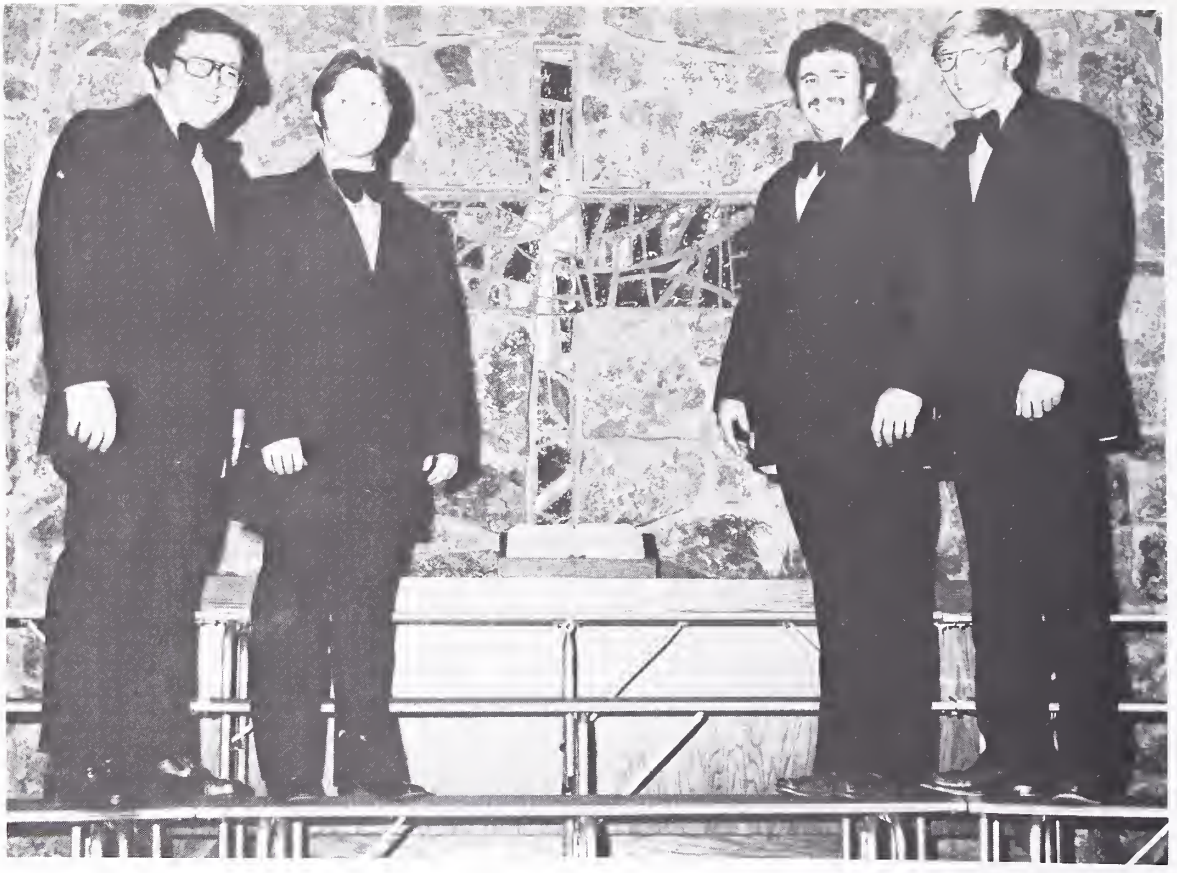

Music

"I'm gonna sing when the
Spirit says sing!"

ABOVE: Men's Quartet; Rod Forrester, Dave Anderson, Ron Hamilton, Warren Cheek. RIGHT: Women's Trio; Mary Deane, Anita Murphy, Lynnae Lavaty. FAR RIGHT: Western Bible College Chorale

ABOVE: Western Bible College Oratorio Choir presented Handel's "Messiah" at the Denver Auditorium Arena. RIGHT: Women's Duet; Pam Garrison, accompanist; Betty Johnson; Leslie Perkins

I will sing to the Lord, because He has dealt bountifully with me.

Psalms 13:6

Student Council

LEFT: Scott McKim, Student Body President. BELOW: Student Council Members—Jon Schrag, Senior Class President; Ken Will, JOT AND TITTLE Editor; Ken Cooper, Senior Class Rep.; Jeff Giles, Freshman Class President; Bob Dunn, Student Body Vice-President; Jody Posey, Freshman Class Rep.; Carroll Ann Goon, Student Body Secretary-Treasurer; Dave Silver, S.M.I. President; Brad Rumsey, Sophomore Class President; Not Pictured: Wayne Hala, Junior Class President; Ken Eichman, Yearbook Editor

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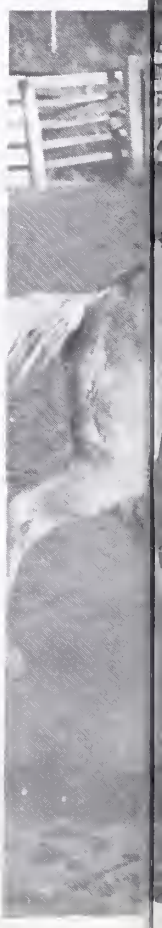
Fall Retreat

A wise man will hear and increase in learning, and a man of understanding will acquire wise counsel, to understand a proverb and a figure, the words of the wise and their riddles. The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge; fools despise wisdom and instruction.

Proverbs 1:5-7

"The book of Proverbs seldom takes you to church, it speaks to you right on the street". This statement of Elliot Johnson could not have been truer as he pounded to us from the book. He shared with us concerning the simple man, the sluggard, the fool, and finally the wise man. We were encouraged and moved to strive to be wise men as we discovered the necessary qualities: fear of the Lord; receiving instruction; discernment; understanding; and discipline.

Wild West Days



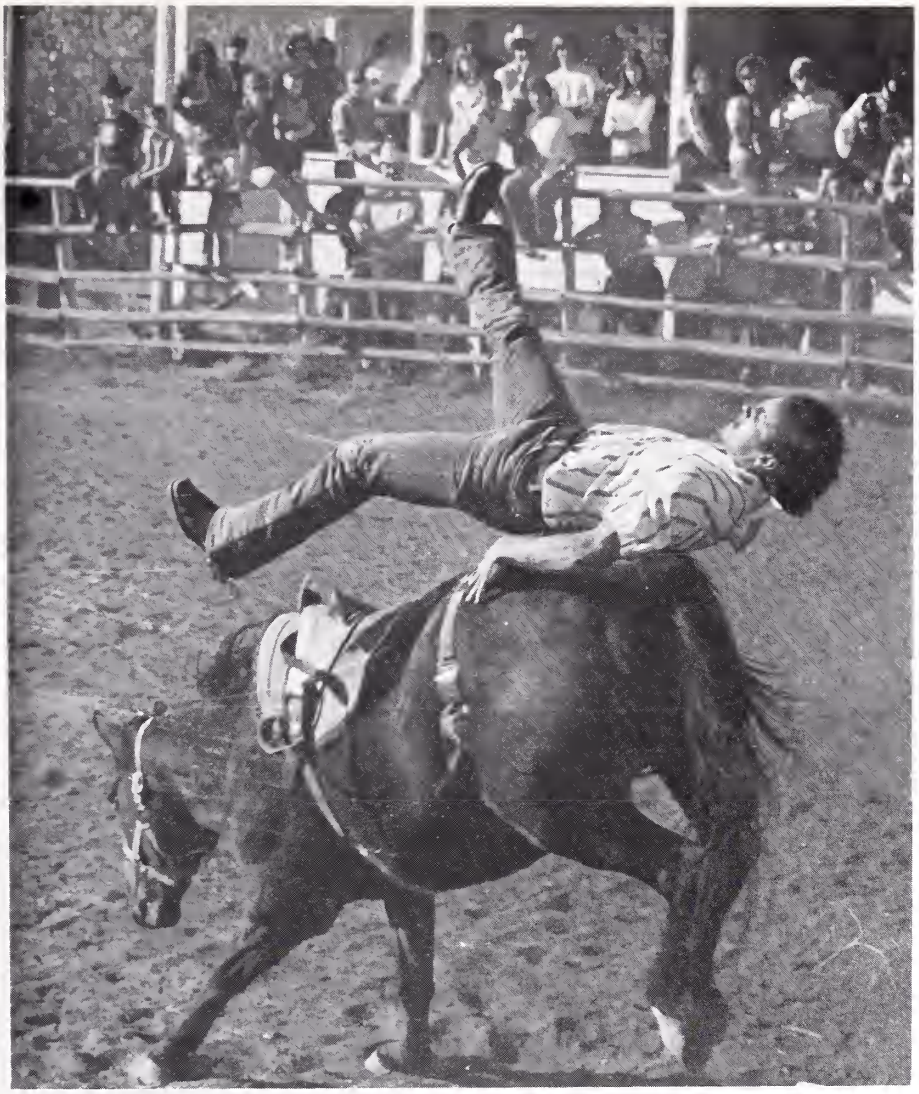
Freshman class—
"Dust of Death"

LEFT: Darrel Johnson—
"Where's the other horse?"

LOWER LEFT: Marla Wright—
"I know he's over there somewhere."

BOTTOM: Lonnie—
"How did he do that?"

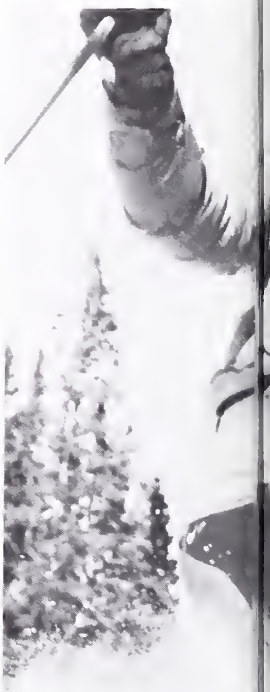
Doran—
"Cute, real cute."



LEFT: Larry Harper—
"Look Ma, no hands!"

BOTTOM: It's all in
the tongue.

BELOW: Alan Nansel, an avid ski enthusiast, spent many hours organizing and making arrangements that made this year's Ski Retreat—College Daze a success.



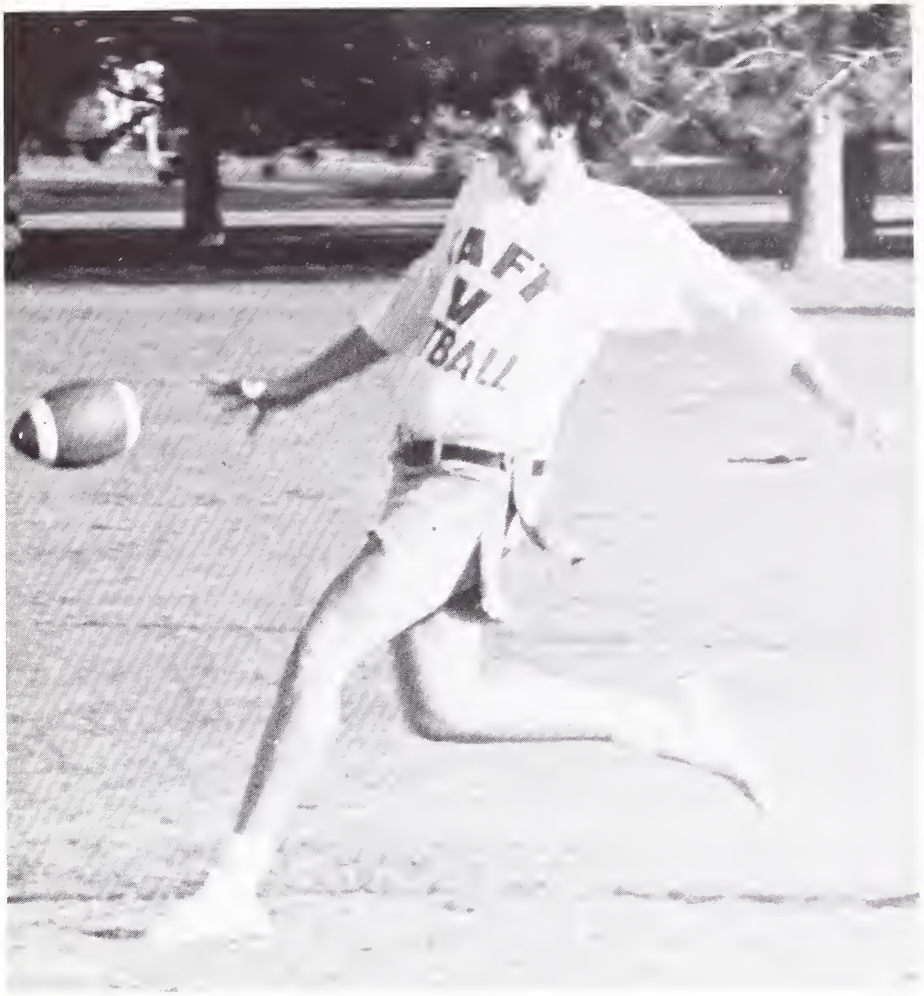
Ski Retreat

This year Ski Retreat and College Daze were combined.

Festivities began Wednesday evening with an all school party which included several humorous skits. Refreshments followed in the Student Union dining hall after which a devotion was given by Mr. Bill Boyd.

Thursday night, everyone attended the non-conference basketball game played between Western Nebraska Technical College and the W.B.C. Eagles.

After an early breakfast Friday morning, a caravan of cars left the campus and arrived several hours later at the Monarch Ski area. A fun-filled two days of skiing were had by all. Friday night was highlighted with fun and fellowship around a blazing fire place.



Football

This year W.B.C. was represented by two teams in the Riverside Flag Football League, the upperclassmen and the freshmen. The freshmen team showed good potential in placing fourth, but it was the experience and balance of the Veterans on the upperclassmen team that propelled them through another undefeated season and into their third straight league championship.

Soccer

Soccer is the newest organized sports activity for WBC students. The Soccer Club was formed by guys who wanted to play soccer, have fun, and have a Christian witness to other teams.

Eleven players make up a soccer team. The forwards and halfbacks play offense; the fullbacks and goalie, defense. Two forty-five minute halves without timeouts compose the game. Both teams rest during the ten minute halftime.

Players: Luke Carter, Jeff Giles, Randy Green, Larry Harper, Aaron Hughes, Darrel Johnson, Paul Kroeze, Brian Leibi, Doran Mandeville, Manuel Martinez, Dave Mason, Mike Queiroz, Brad Rumsey, Bill Vawser, Steve Whitney, Doug Wright. Coach: Dave Carrier. Others are expected to come out during Spring semester.

Cheerleaders

FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Pam Mason, Sandra Oswald, Deb Russell, Cathy Butler, Lisa Watson.

When the pressure gets on, the cheerleaders endeavor to motivate the spectators not only to encourage the team to play their best, but also to encourage them to show forth Christ on the court. Smiles go a long way, and the school is drawn closer together through this effort. Unity of the student body is more evident as a result.

Basketball

BACK ROW: Luke Carter, Bill Honsberger, Dave Fury, Zane Prante, Tim Cress, Paul Borden, Coach. FRONT ROW: Jon Schrag, Scott McKim, Jess Mahon, Bruce Frazier, Myron Tedford. Not pictured: Mark Kulow and Lonnie Carlson

The season is over, the games have all been played, the fans have put away their Eagle T-shirts, and the uniforms have been discarded to the closet.

As we look back upon this season there are a lot of happy remembrances as well as sad. We remember the games with Rockmont and Baptist Bible. We also remember the close games with Arapahoe especially the one that went into double overtime. We are saddened by the loss of our two Senior Co-Captains Jon Schrag and Scott McKim. Their leadership, dedication and ability were greatly appreciated by those who had the privilege to play the game with them.

For now it's all over until next year yet the memories embedded in our minds remind us of our days at Western.

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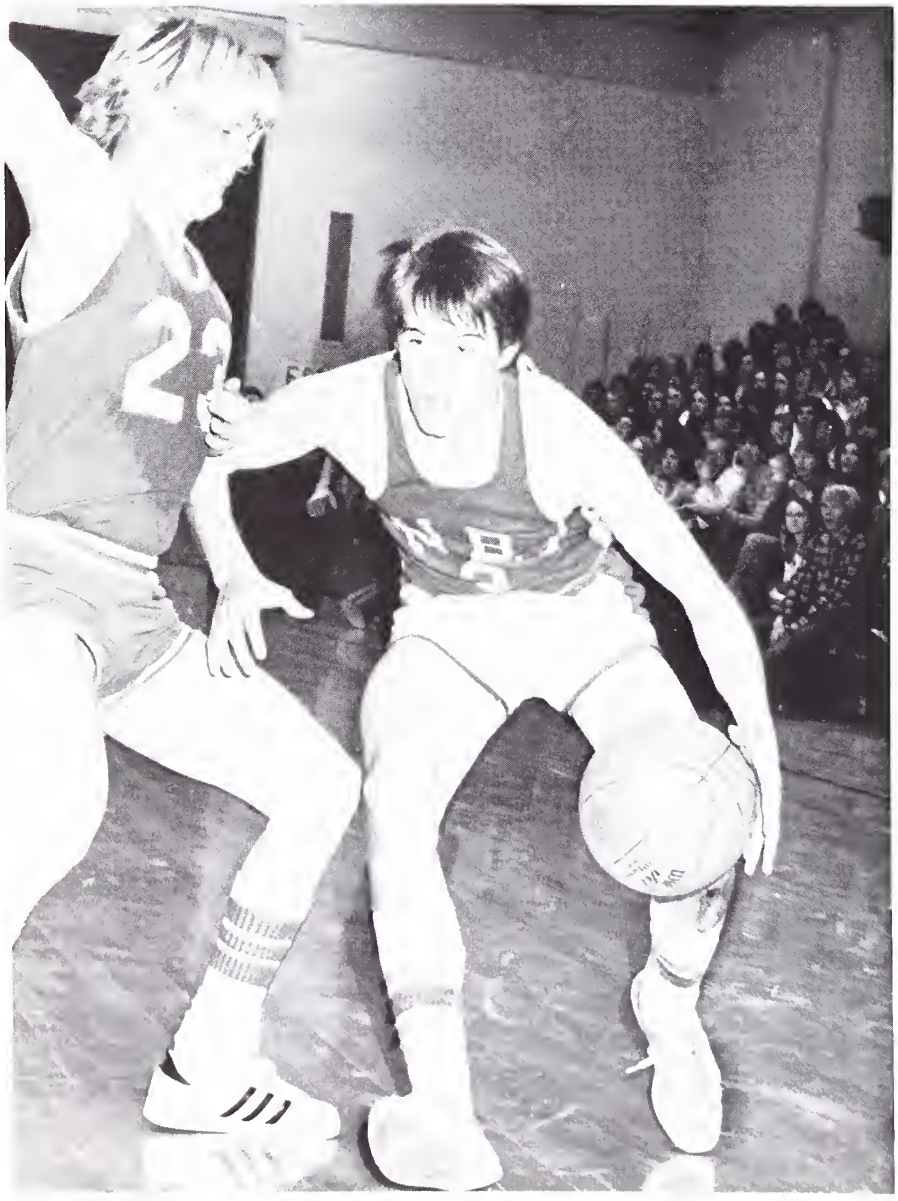

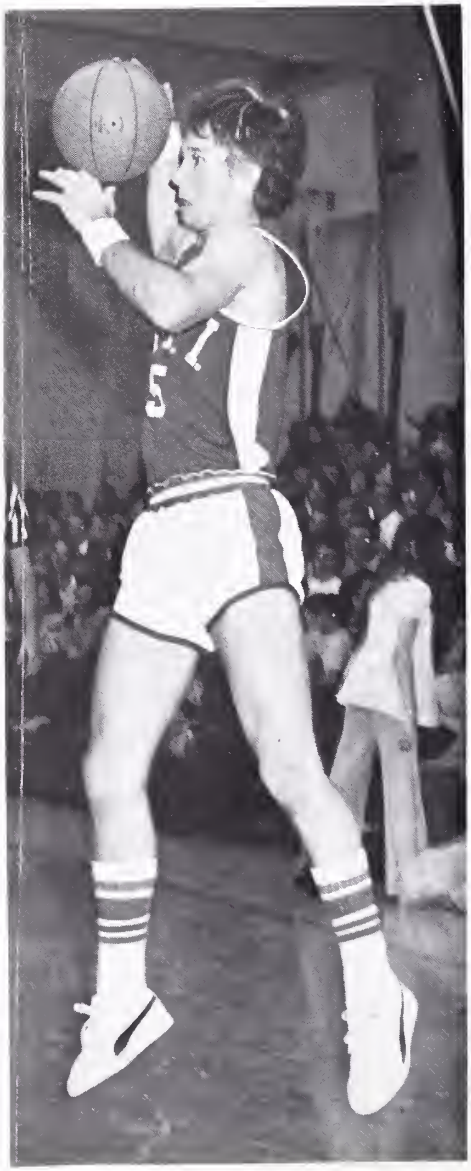

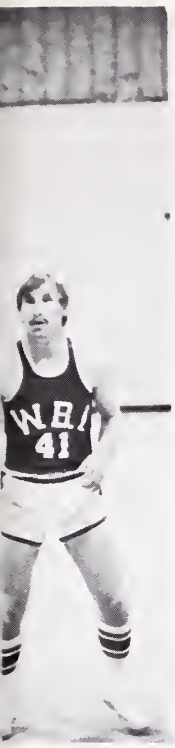
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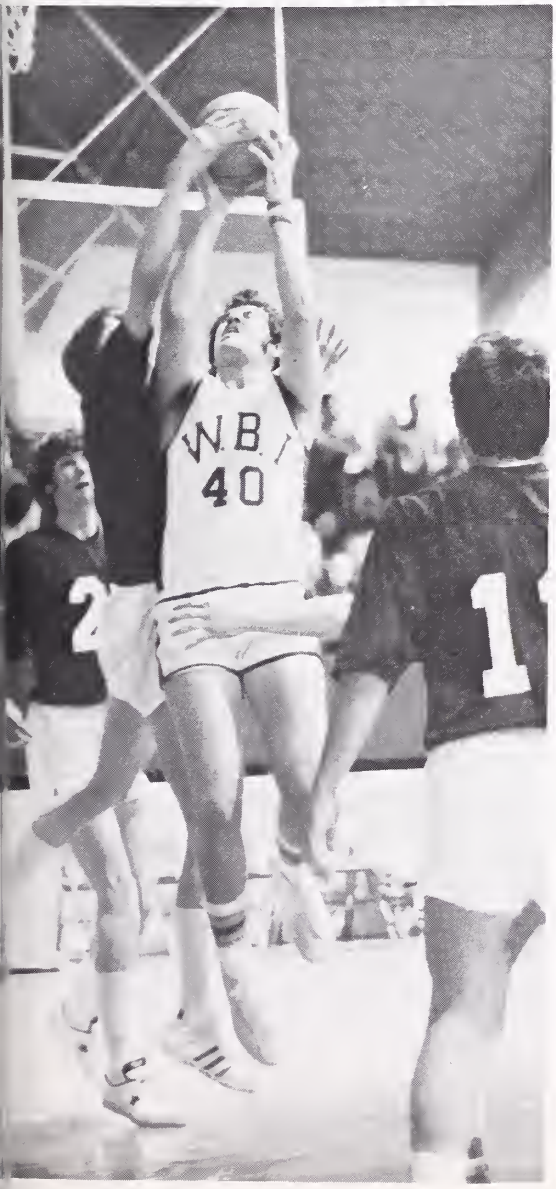
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"Man can count on no one but himself. He is alone, abandoned on earth in the midst of his infinite responsibilities, without hope, with no other aim than the one he sets for himself, with no other destiny than the one he forges for himself on this earth."
Jean Paul Sartre

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His great mercy has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.

1 Peter 1:3

Remember that you were at that time separate from Christ, excluded from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. But now in Christ Jesus you who formerly were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ.

Ephesians 2:12-13

Both the annual and W.B.C. have the goal of: "being always ready to give a reason for the hope that is within you" (I Peter 3:15). We have tried to show in the opening and closing sections of the annual that Christianity is the very antitheses of the philosophy of despair. This despair was produced when man determined that he could be autonomous from God. Jacques Ellul tells us the result of that decision: "Autonomy is a burdensome dignity, for it means that man is left entirely alone as he confronts reality. Wretchedness, suffering, anxiety, injustice, death: they are all around him and he must face them alone. He must take a position and act, without anything to fall back on, without any source of hope. In atheistic humanism, then, man adopts a very lofty conception of his own fate, but the price for it is high: his own existential anxiety." Thus without God and the existence of the supernatural, man is reduced to a mere machine playing out its meaningless existence. But Christianity presents us with a personal God who has revealed Himself to man. This means that there is reality that we can have contact with and we are not just a product of the impersonal plus time plus chance.

This is the hope the Bible presents us. The Christian hope is, however, not an empty hope. It has concrete reality behind it. That reality is that Jesus was a historic-space-time person who rose from the dead, a fact attested to by more than 500 witnesses who saw Him on different occasions.

Christian, put your trust fully in the hope the Bible provides. He is the Truth; the ultimate reality so make Him the total focus of your life.

Inquirer, this has been written to show what a life without God inevitably leads to. Jesus is not A reality, He is THE reality. Believe in Him today and you can have his hope within.

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